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Mrs. T. A. Black Died Suddenly

Sick Only Few Minutes Thursday Afternoon When Taken by a Heart Attack

The community was shocked Thursday afternoon when the news spread that Mrs. T. A. Black had died suddenly at the family home of a heart attack.

Mrs. Black had been at the Allen & Black store during the morning. She went home with Mr. Black and her sister, Mrs. Edna Roach, prepared lunch and was getting ready to return to the store when she complained of feeling somewhat ill. Mr. Black called the family physician, but it was thought that nothing unusual was the matter with Mrs. Black. The physician was examining her when Mrs. Black's heart stopped and she was dead. Both Mr. Black and Mrs. Roach were with her at the time.

The funeral was held Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist Church, of which she was a member. Dr. Roy L. Johnson was the officiating minister.

Pall bearers were: G. A. Farlow, T. S. Maxwell, J. L. Duflot, J. J. Walker, Hud Prichard, Andy Walsh.

Honorary pall bearers were: W. C. Black, G. G. Foster, T. S. Stevenson, J. S. Cleland, Oscar Gamble, L. L. Hix, Ray McReynolds, Levi Cole, Ed Phillips, W. J. Wooten, T. C. Thompson, I. S. Doak, C. R. Burrow, J. P. Hix, R. B. Gist, Dan F. Sanders, Paul Lindsey, Dewey Foster, Fred Marshall, Geo. Hodges.

Interment was in Dreamland Cemetery in charge of the Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

Mittie Elizabeth Saxon was married to Tom A. Black in Oklahoma. They have engaged in the mercantile business in Oklahoma and Texas during the past 25 years. They came to Canyon nine years ago, buying a dry goods and clothing store. The firm name is Allen & Black, with John Allen, cousin of Mr. Black, being associated in the business. Mrs. Black has assisted her husband in the business. Her charming manner and interest in the welfare of her customers gained for her many friends in this community.

Mrs. Black was an active member of the American Legion Auxiliary, several social clubs, and assisted in all community enterprises.

Surviving is the husband, T. A. Black; three sisters, Mrs. Edna B. Roach of Pauls Valley, Okla., Mrs. Eula Holman of Stamford, Mrs. Ada Pratt of Oklahoma City; two nieces, Mrs. Overton Donnell of Alamagorda, N. M., and Mrs. Josephine Starr of Albuquerque, N. M., both of whom have made their home with Mr. and Mrs. Black in Canyon; one nephew, John Roach, Jr., who made his home with the Blacks in Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. John Allen and son, Glenn of Fort Sumner, N. M., cousin of Mr. Black, and Jim Black of Amarillo, brother of Mr. Black, were here for the funeral.

Record Moisture Received During Year of 1944

Moisture in Canyon during 1944 amounted to 29.48 inches according to the government report made by Clyde W. Warwick. Mr. Warwick has been keeping the government record in Canyon for 25 years. This is one of the largest amounts of rainfall reported in Canyon during that period.

The snow and sleet of last week measured .40 of an inch. The total moisture for December amounted to 1.77 inches.

The following was the moisture by months during 1944:

January	1.70
February	.80
March	.00
April	2.03
May	2.24
June	5.43
July	5.98
August	4.06
September	3.61
October	1.00
November	.86
December	1.77
Total	29.48

Moisture was recorded on 56 days of the year. The splendid crops for the year are due to the rains which fell at the time when moisture would do the most good. The weather throughout the year was the most favorable that the Panhandle has enjoyed in many years.

Miss Mae Simmons of Amarillo visited through the holidays with friends in Canyon.

Roll of Honor

Killed

Capt. Wilbur P. Wofford, killed in glider crash, Dec. 12, Newberry, England.

Missing in Action

T-Sgt. Carl L. Drummond missing in Asiatic Area since Dec. 21.

Nell Stevenson Is Home Serving 18 Months WASP

NELL STEVENSON

Miss Nell Stevenson is home from El Paso where she has been a member of the WASP. She has been engaged in this work for 18 months, and was discharged before Christmas when this unit of women's army work was disbanded.

Miss Stevenson was a member of the Amarillo Times staff before enlisting in the WASP. She has several offers for positions, but will remain at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Stevenson, for some time before accepting another position.

Sgt. Drummond Is Reported Missing In Asiatic Area

T-Sgt. Carl L. Drummond is missing in action since December 21 in the Asiatic Area according to a telegram from the War Department to Sgt. Drummond's mother, Mrs. Cora Drummond.

Sgt. Drummond left Canyon with the National Guard but transferred into the air corps while the Guards were stationed at Brownwood, Texas. He is a graduate of Canyon high school.

Bill Drummond, youngest child of Mrs. Drummond, enlisted in the Navy last week and is training now at Great Lakes Naval Training base.

Men Left Monday To Start Training in the Army

Men left Monday morning for induction into the army at Oklahoma City, and another group left Tuesday to take their physical examinations.

Men who were sent for induction were: Jack Buford Crow, Lee Roy Baird, Jesse Hampton Lisle, Jr., Sam Gaulden, Carl Calvin Hall, Thelter Ferrell Abbott, Melvin C. Wagner.

Edward Otto Fluegel, Edwin Metz LaFollette, Alan Krauss Albers, Oscar H. Podzemny, Melvin Glen Schaeffer, Roland Max Pryor.

Roger Burks Gist, Jr., Lloyd Weathers Bonds, Charles Franklin Wright, Buddy McClenan, Johnnie B. McCarley, William Hale Hopkins, Elmer John Franklin Bauer.

Those who left to take their physical examinations were: Kenneth Woolsey, Paul LeRoy Pitt, Richard Dean Mann, Irving Franklin SoRelle, Kenneth Quade Davis.

The local Selective Service Board has not received additional calls for men.

No Changes in County Officers For Coming Year

For the first time in many years no changes are made in the official family of Randall county for the coming two years.

All county officials were re-elected in the July primary.

Bonds for all officials were approved Monday by the Commissioners Court.

The matter of appointing various employees of the county was not completed in the special session Monday. The list of employees will be completed at the regular session of the court next Monday.

MAHLE FAMILY REUNION

For the first time in 17 years Mrs. S. M. Mahle had all her children at home when they came home for Christmas this year.

Children and their families are: Mr. and Mrs. Claude Mahle and family from College Station, Mr. and Mrs. John Mahle from San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Mahle and family from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rice and family from Bryan, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Mahle and family, Clyde Mahle, Carl Mahle, Lenton Mahle, Stewart Mahle and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hair and family of Canyon.

Have you bought your War Bonds?

Road Program Is Adopted by Court

Engineer Will Make Survey and Present Plans to State Commission for Post-war

The Commissioners Court has employed a county engineer and will submit a farm to market road system in Randall county to the State Highway Commission as a post-war project.

Congress has passed a larger appropriation bill which will provide work following the war. Farm to market roads are encouraged in this program.

The county will ask for 77 miles. These roads will largely follow the plan recently adopted by the County Planning Board. One road will run east and west across the County north of Canyon, and the other will run east and west across the county south of Canyon. The county is adopting a program for systematic building of connecting roads, which will add much to the value of these roads, if they are accepted.

The engineer's survey must accompany the application to the State Highway Commission. Harvey Schmidt of Amarillo was named engineer and instructed to get out this application as quickly as possible.

Ask Donation of Bonds for Dreamland Cemetery

The Dreamland Cemetery Association will meet Saturday at the Thompson Club Room at 3 o'clock for a business session.

A movement has been started to ask citizens of Randall county to buy War Bonds in the name of the Dreamland Cemetery Association in order to provide for a working fund in the future.

The first bond will be bought this week by a local citizen. Other citizens are asked to buy bonds and donate them to the association for the future security of the improvement fund.

Ray Cole Home From Action In Italy and France

Ray Cole is home from 18½ months spent in combat in Europe. He is Chief Machinist Mate in the Navy, and came home singing high praises for the American forces who are battling the Germans. He saw plenty of action in Italy and South France.

Ray chose the navy when he entered the service. He is high in praise for this branch of the service, but it is to the Infantry that he takes off his hat. These are the boys who are going through the toughest assignment in Europe and catching terrible punishment.

Ray is credited in his credentials with having engaged in the following engagements:

1. The Tunician Area.
2. Invasion and occupation of Sicily.
3. Leap-frog landings on north coast of Sicily.
4. Invasion of Italy and operations at Salerno.
5. Leap-frog landings at Anzio.
6. Participation in special operations with the British and U. S. troops and Yugslav partisans in Adriatic, June 6 to Aug. 1.
7. Invasion and landing operations of South France.

Ray was with the British in two separate engagements. He has high regard for the British fighters. "I don't want them shooting at me," was his comment on their efficiency in battle.

He has been engaged with the air-sea rescue squadron and deceptive work. He will report to Norfolk, Va., on Jan. 19 for reassignment. He has no idea where he will go next.

Mrs. Cole is with him, but will return to Dallas when Ray leaves and remain there until he knows of his assignment.

TROOP VI TO MEET

Troop VI of the Girl Scouts of America will meet at the Thompson Club Room, January 6 at 2:30 o'clock. All members are urged to be present.

STORK SPECIAL

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Milton Cecil Fox, a son, Robert Lee, December 23.

Court House to Be Remodeled

Removal of the Cupola Inside Improvements to Be Started by the Court

The Commissioners Court is considering remodeling the court house. Harold Walsh, architect, has submitted plans and estimates. He figures the outside work necessary to preserve the building will amount to about $9,000.

The roof has given trouble for several years. Vain attempts have been made to keep the roof from leaking. Mr. Walsh believes that the only way this can be done is to remove the cupola and put on a new hip roof. The fire walls would be raised in order to preserve the present stone work around the building. The court house clock, which has been a source of trouble for a number of years is out of commission, and would be removed by this improvement. The looks of the building would be materially changed by these improvements.

Mr. Walsh has made recommendations for improving the inside of the building. Plaster is hanging in a perilous condition in many places over the building because of the constantly leaking roof. It is deemed inadvisable by the commissioners to spend money on the inside of the building until it is possible to stop the leaks in the roof.

The building was erected in 1908, and the bonds on the building were paid off several years ago. The court believes that the building may be remodeled for a very small cost in comparison to the cost of a new building which will be necessary unless work is done in the near future.

Capt. Wofford Is Killed in Glider Wreck in England

Capt. Wilbur Wofford, member of the U. S. Army Dental Corps, and assigned to a paratrooper unit, was killed in a glider crash in England December 12, according to a telegram received by his mother, Mrs. Ann Wofford.

Capt. Wofford was born in Plainview and attended school there until he moved to Canyon with his mother in 1936, just four months after the death of his father, Dr. C. D. Wofford. He attended W. T. S. T. C. for two years and was a popular member of the Epsilon Beta fraternity.

Completing his course in Baylor Dental College, Dallas, in May 1942, Capt. Wofford enlisted immediately. He has been over seas approximately six months.

Mrs. Wofford, who is matron of Cousins Hall at West Texas State, has gone to Austin to be with her daughter, Miss Amelia Ann, who is a student at the University of Texas. Major C. D. Wofford, elder son of the Woffords, is also a dental officer and was in Germany with American forces when last heard from.

Capt. Wofford is a nephew of Mrs. A. W. Sternenberg.

Selective Service Inspects Cases of All Men 18 to 37

A review of all registrants under Selective Service from 18 to 37 years is being made.

Those who have received deferments of occupations are now being required to show cause for a continuation of their present classification. This includes farmers, as well as all others who have received deferments.

Congress will be asked to authorize the drafting of men in 4-F in order to put these men into vital war jobs. The President has approved this idea, but Congress so far has not taken to the idea very kindly. Such a step would likely lead to the universal draft act whereby the Manpower Commission could draft men from any vocation and place them in war jobs.

No Business In District Court

The winter term of district court convened Monday, with Judge Henry S. Bishop, presiding.

Judge Bishop did not call the grand jury until Tuesday because of the New Year holiday.

Members of the grand jury are: Lee R. Foster, foreman, R. E. Ball, Jim Bible, E. W. Schaeffer, J. O. Parker, C. G. Pond, C. B. Fuqua, R. T. Beeman, B. E. McCormick, Floyd Tomlinson, L. S. Johnston, A. L. Walsh.

The grand jury was in session for one day and investigated several cases. No bills were returned. The jury recessed until Jan. 16.

J. O. Vineyard of Big Spring visited with his daughter-in-law, Mrs. George Vineyard, in the T. S. Maxwell home over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger Observe Golden Wedding Anniversary Sunday

On December 31, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger celebrated their Golden Wedding anniversary at their home in Canyon with five of their six children with them during the week end and at the open house Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Cleavinger and family of Spring Lake, E. H. Cleavinger of Norfolk, California, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cleavinger and family of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, Jr., and daughter of Stratford, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller and sons of Canyon were present. J. G. Cleavinger of Alhambra, California was unable to be present.

Mrs. Cleavinger, the former Ellen Ruth Hall was married to M. E. Cleavinger, January 1, 1895 at the bride's home near Leavenworth, Kansas. In this vicinity they made their home until 1910 when they moved to Spring Lake, Texas. Here Mr. Cleavinger was postmaster and engaged in farming and general mercantile business. In 1927 the family moved to Canyon to take advantage of the educational facilities offered.

Open house Sunday afternoon was somewhat informal. Guests were greeted by members of the Cleavinger family. Music was furnished by Geraldine Hart, Mrs. K. E. Frieze, Carole and Norma Cleavinger.

Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, Jr. presided at the guest book which had been made by Mrs. J. G. Cleavinger of Alhambra, Calif. This lovely hand carved guest book was adorned with a cluster of carved wooden orange blossoms which tied a hand beaten golden bell bearing the initials E. R. H and M. E. C. above the dates 1895-1945.

Mrs. W. C. Kunze very graciously ushered the guests to the dining room to be served.

The dining table was centered with a beautiful bouquet of yellow mums and snapdragons on a mirrored reflector flanked by tall white tapers tied with golden satin ribbon. Individual wedding cakes topped with yellow icing, nuts and mints were served. Napkins carried the name "The Cleavingers" in gold.

Presiding at the tea table were Mrs. G. R. Linville and Mrs. J. L. Linville, life-long family friends of Mr. and Mrs. Cleavinger, from Plainview. They were assisted by Mrs. N. F. Cleavinger and Mrs. E. R. Cleavinger.

Canyon friends, who called during the afternoon were: Mr. and Mrs. Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Cash, Mrs. J. H. Thompson, Mrs. S. Hart, Mrs. R. L. Campbell, Mrs. W. C. Kunze, Mrs. E. D. Harrell, Mrs. N. A. Croson, Rev. and Mrs. Robt. W. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Shook, Miss Agnes Charlton, Miss Cora Wiles, Miss Eleanor Pierle, Dr. C. A.

MR. and MRS. M. E. CLEAVINGER

Pierle, Mrs. George C. Harris, Mrs. Cecil Briggs, Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Burrow, Mrs. R. A. Neblett, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Tarlton, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Oberst, Miss Elizabeth Cox, Dr. and Mrs. D. A. Shirley, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson, Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Jarrett, Mrs. T. V. Reeves, Mrs. L. F. Sheffy.

Out of town guests for the celebration were: Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Axtell, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Axtell, Spring Lake; Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Boston and family, Guyman, Okla.; Mrs. R. E. Mehl and son, Manhattan, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. John Barton, Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Harrison F. Axtell and daughters, Kress; Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Linville and Mrs. G. R. Linville of Plainview.

In the evening following the tea a buffet supper was served to the out of town guests and the members of the immediate families.

To honor her father and mother's golden wedding anniversary, Mrs. W. E. Miller, assisted by her husband W. E. Miller, entertained Sunday with a family dinner.

Christmas colors were carried out in the decorations. White tapers tied with red satin with angel candles on a reflector surrounded by evergreens formed the centerpiece on the dining table.

Present for the dinner were: Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, the honorees, Mrs. W. C. Kunze, Mr. and Mrs. N. F. Cleavinger and six children from Spring Lake, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Cleavinger and three children of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Cleavinger, Jr., and daughter from Stratford, E. H. Cleavinger from Norfolk, California, John and David Miller sons of the host and hostess.

Farm Census To Be Taken for County

Capt. Fred Hart Has Received His Army Promotion

CAPT. FRED HART

Capt. Fred L. Hart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Silas Hart has recently been promoted to that rank.

Capt. Hart received his B. S. and M. A. degrees from West Texas State College and was associated with his father in the Appliance and Butane and Propane business in Canyon before entering the Technical Photography branch of the Air Corps. He is now stationed at Eglin Field, Fla.

Major Al Baggett Cables Friends of Army Promotion

It is now Major Al Baggett. Baggett received his promotion overseas.

Major Baggett was Athletic Director of West Texas State when he reported for active service in the army. He was a reserve officer, and reported to the army as a Captain. He was in charge of the physical education department of the Southwest before going overseas. He has been in Africa and Italy.

Cablegrams extended New Year greetings to Canyon friends.

Mrs. Baggett is librarian at the Amarillo College and has been living in Amarillo since Major Baggett went overseas. Dr. and Mrs. A. M. Meyer are living in the Baggett home near West Texas State.

Buffalo Lake Has New Concessionaire 10 Year Term

Howard Boxwell of Amarillo has been granted concessions at Buffalo Lake under Soil Conservation. He received a 10-year contract which became effective Jan. 1.

Mr. Boxwell is a well known young business man of Amarillo. He has outlined an improvement plan which will carry forward for the 10-year period. Great improvements will be made for amusements, recreation and camping at the lake.

A number of bidders were after the concession of Buffalo Lake. Amarillo and Canyon business men made strong appeals for granting the bid to Mr. Boxwell.

Funeral of Ludwin Bourn Was Held Yesterday p. m.

Ludwin (Pard) Bourn died in a Wichita Falls hospital on January 1. Mr. Bourn had been in a serious condition for a number of months and had been sent to Wichita Falls for special care.

Mr. Bourn was born December 1, 1877. He moved to Canyon 9 years ago and was associated with his brother, J. M. Bourn in the dairy and cattle business.

Surviving Mr. Bourn are one brother, J. M. Bourn, Canyon; two sisters, Mrs. Fannie Broome of Amarillo and Mrs. W. M. Flowers of Asphant, Texas.

Funeral services were held yesterday afternoon at the Church of Christ with Rev. H. H. Howell of Tulia officiating.

Pall bearers were Bradley Burrus, Lavert Avent, Sr., Lee Thomas, Carl Hair, J. J. Wright and L. D. Winn.

Interment was in Dreamland Cemetery under the direction of Griggs-Warren Funeral Home.

POST AND UNIT 97 MEET

Monday, January 8 is regular meeting night for the American Legion and the Legion Auxiliary. All members are urged to be present.

Mrs. Elsworth Barnard has returned to the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bellah after having spent several months with her husband, Sgt. Barnard, at Santa Maria and Bakersfield, Calif. Sgt. Barnard has gone overseas.

S-Sgt. T. S. Stevenson, Jr., is home from Great Bend, Kansas, on a 15-day leave. He is visiting at the parental T. S. Stevenson home and will leave Saturday to return to his army camp.

Census Takers Are Required

Important Census Will Set Pattern in County for the Next Period of Improvement

Agriculture in war time will be measured by Uncle Sam in the five year agricultural census which starts this month all over the Nation.

This will be the first farm census of the nation ever to be made in war time. The agricultural census is made every five years. Every ten years it is made in connection with the general census and in the five year periods between, or the years ending in five, the agricultural census is made separately.

The job of enumerating the agricultural resources of the country is perhaps of more interest to every one this year than ever before on account of the war time need for accurate figures on food production. It is of special interest to the Government in making Lend Lease committments and future export plans. It is of interest to farmers because the basis for future calculations in connection with farm programs will be very largely the census figures.

The food production resources of the nation will be inventoried and some very valuable statistics will be assembled and tabulated. The long time trends in volume of production and values of what farmers produce will be established by the census figures. In this connection it is of interest to note that the total dollar value of the 1919 production of all farms in the country which was reported in the 1920 census was nearly three times the total value of all production in the year 1939 which was reported in the 1940 census.

It will be interesting to compare the total value of the record production in 1944, to be reported this year, with the boom time values of 1920.

To simplify the task of enumerating each farm in each state the country is divided, by the Census Bureau, into seven regions. States are grouped with other states producing similar crops and livestock products.

Texas is grouped with Oklahoma, Arkansas, Louisiana and New Mexico.

Because of the wide range of crops grown in these five states a great many of the questions on the schedule used by the enumerators will not apply to farms in Randall county.

Entries for each farm, during the 1945 census, will be listed in book or ledger form rather than on individual schedules as in former years. This change in practice will facilitate the review and the transcription of final information by the Census Bureau as well as the handling of the schedule in the field.

A farm, or what is considered a farm for census purposes, is any producing unit of 3 acres or more or any unit producing agricultural products worth $250 or more in 1944. This includes all town lots or small tracts of land or any place, meeting the above specifications, such as green house, Victory gardens, nurseries, livestock feed lots and the like.

In the 1940 census, in Randall county, it is quite well known that many of these, as well as some larger units were missed. This resulted in a very erroneous figure for the county. The figure for number of farms in Randall county is therefore too low by comparison with other counties. It is hoped that more accurate figures will be established this year. The interest of all citizens of the county will be best served by accurate figures. Inaccurate figures in the records helps no one.

The figures given the census enumerators for each individual farm are strictly confidential and cannot be reviewed by any other department of Government. They cannot be used in connection with any tax collecting agency.

The supervisor of the Panhandle district of Texas is W. L. Boyles, whose address is Court House, Panhandle, Texas.

Mr. Boyles is looking for persons to employ as enumerators. Either men or women who have transportation. They will be paid on piece work basis. For this reason a person might be employed without working full time.

Any one interested in doing this work should contact Mr. Boyles or leave word at the County Agent's office.

Nash Hix Named Bank President

N. C. Hix was named president of the First State Bank at Abernathy by the board of directors last week. Mr. Hix is the son of Mrs. I. N. Hix of Canyon and has been vice president and cashier of the bank for many years.

MARRIAGE LICENSE

Ignacio Amesqua to Elvira Flores, Dec. 20.

Capt and Mrs. G. W. Lee of Austin spent Christmas in the parental Ted Reid home.

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HITLER TALKS AGAIN

Hitler talked again to the German people. That is, a voice came over the air a few minutes after the break of January 1, 1945. Some folks doubt whether it was Hitler who spoke. It matters little whether it was Hitler or one of the other high Nazi leaders. The abuse of the other people of the world came from the heart of the German nation.

So what?

To historians, it may someday be important to determine just when Hitler fell from power. But to us, at war with Germany, it's of no importance at all. Germany is fighting just as ruthlessly on the Siegfried Line—without Hitler—as it fought along the Dneiper—with him. Germany's atrocities at Lublin and Distomo—without Hitler—are just as horrible as were those at Warsaw and Lidice—with him. German youth in the streets of Hitlerless Aachen is as ferocious and uncontrollable as the Hitler Youth in the purged streets of Munich. Hitler may have launched the blitz on London in 1941. But who's launching the V-2s today?

Maybe it's just some guys named Eeny, Meeny, Miny: the same typical Germans who made three wars with Bismark; who nearly won the world with Wilhelm II; who looked Hitler over in 1922 and said, "Ja, he'll do. He's our kind."

The war against Hitler seems to be about over. If so, that's good. Now maybe we can concentrate on the war against the Germans. We've fought that war before. But we've never finished it. It's about time!

Joe Steadham, super lobbyist before the Texas legislature, is urging the legislature to meet, quickly wind up its business, and then adjourn. He does not want to see the law makers stay in session for the full 120 days. We fancy that Joe is seeing things and does not want the legislature to see the things of which he is afraid. Naturally he is urging a low appropriation bill; no taxes; no reforms. Knowing legislators as we do, we may assure Joe that his words of solemn wisdom—or are they—will go unheeded, and the legislature will stay in session for the full 120 days; and that a considerable percentage of the members will be calling for a special session in order to wind up bills which are not disposed of in the long session.

You have heard it said thousands of times: "I wish that I had a million dollars." It usually comes from the lips of the person who does very little toward making an attempt to accumulate even a thousand dollars. Those who amass fortunes have visions of that fortune early in life and then throw every ounce of their bodies into the job of making that fortune. Success is achieved only through the hardest kind of work. But sometimes those who work the hardest seem to have all of the stumbling blocks strewn down their pathways. Some cannot make money, in spite of their wishes to make money; some cannot achieve their aims in life, in spite of their ardent desires for fame and success. But on the whole success comes only to those who are willing to pay the price.

Wonder if Churchill really backed down in Greece, or is just attacking the situation from a different angle? He was trying to cram the king down the throats of the people, regardless of the wishes of the nation. A regent has been appointed, who hopes to quiet the revolution. But the British soldiers are still in Greece, and are using American war products, and American medical supplies for the Greeks who are friendly to Churchill's plan.

We hope that your New Year resolutions have held out this long. But even if they failed to hold out for more than a day, the making of these resolutions was not a bad thing.

Beware Coughs
from common colds
That Hang On

Creomulsion relieves promptly because it goes right to the seat of the trouble to help loosen and expel germ laden phlegm, and aid nature to soothe and heal raw, tender, inflamed bronchial mucous membranes. Tell your druggist to sell you a bottle of Creomulsion with the understanding you must like the way it quickly allays the cough or you are to have your money back.

CREOMULSION
for Coughs, Chest Colds, Bronchitis

NAZI "EDUCATION"

According to a release from the Polish Catholic Press Agency, a soldier of the Polish underground who succeeded in making his way to Italy, gives the following example of Nazi "education."

"Let me give you a few examples of that education.

"A German public school. The boys in the room are on the average eight years old. The teacher talks of the greatness of the Vater land, of national heroes, of their devotion to their country. He tries to impress the children by painting vivid pictures of heroism. Then he asks suddenly: 'Are you ready to sacrifice yourself for the Vaterland?' The children, as a matter of course, answer that they are.

"All right, says the teacher. Now let each of you take a sheet of paper and a pencil, and write down what you consider your dearest possession.

"The children do so. They write down their individual preferences. One loves the most his dog, the other a toy rifle, the third some toy, etc. Well—says the teacher, after looking over the papers—it is up to you to sacrifice all these things to the Vaterland, to the Fuehrer. You mustn't do it in the future, but right away, right now. Go home, and tomorrow you will tell me whether you have accomplished your task.

"The children are also told that they have to watch each other—those of a stronger character must supervise the weaker ones.

"The following day the teacher asks them successively: Did you kill your dog? Did you destroy your rifle? Did you break up your toy? A pupil declares that another boy didn't' accomplish his duty thoroughly—that the rifle's butt-end may be repaired. Shame on you—remarks the teacher—You are a weakling. You must destroy it tomorrow so that it be beyond repair.

"A boy which has thus been brought up is being admitted after a few years to the Hitler-Jugend. If he behaves well he is rewarded by obtaining permission to attend an execution. He is allowed to look on the shooting down of defenseless people, to pick up the corpses. He is taught how, when he reaches his fifteenth year, he would have to act as executioner himself without losing his nerve. Between the ages of sixteen and eighteen they are promoted to the S. S. officer's school. After graduating from that institution they conclude their education by a six months stage as guards in a concentration camp. Only then do they become 'supermen'."

Whether the above account is a true one or not, it seems apparent from the proved atrocity stories that they have developed from the war that the ruthlessness of the Nazis is not limited to a select few. How deep an impress such training has made on the nation as a whole is difficult to determine but certainly some such training was needed to bring as many German to bruitishness as there apparently are.

We have heard of a few—very few persons who are doubting the wisdom of buying War Bonds. They use the silly argument that these bonds may never be paid. They are afraid that the government will default, just like European nations have defaulted in their debts to us. This may be said with all assurance: If U. S. government bonds are no good, then the money of the nation is no good; the land which you own will be valueless; that everything you own, which cannot be eaten and worn, will be absolutely valueless. The United States has never defaulted. We have a very heavy public debt, entirely excessive, but this debt will be paid. Your bonds will be worth more in the future than they are today, so hold on to them.

Two Nazis were standing on a street corner in Berlin. They noticed a man coming down the street.

"Look at that guy," said the first one. "Has he got a dumb look on him. Just like an idiot. Look at the hair dangling over his eyes like a Shetland pony."

"What are you saying!" snapped his friend. "That's Hitler."

"You know," said the first Nazi, "It's a funny thing—on him it looks good."

More men regret having spoken than having been silent.

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WILL FREEDOM SURVIVE VICTORY?

Another year of war has drawn to a close. Volumes of rhetoric will be written about the awful destruction of the past twelve months. Puny efforts will be made to describe the suffering of the men of the armed forces, who face death day after day, year after year, far from home and loved ones. Actually, there are no words that can adequately sum up 1944, the most critical year in American history.

The astounding thing about the home front is the fact that except for the families of service men, it lives normally and has no conception of the horrors of war. Communiques from Washington on the price of toilet paper or some other trivial item fills countless columns in the press. Social security planning, "full" employment and dizzy talk of a contented postwar world, with all the worries assumed by a benevolent government, arise from the American scene like a haze from a swamp. Clear, unqualified thought on the subject of personal freedom, is almost totally lacking.

As the war moves on, country after country sees the spectre of oppression and government by small cliques loom larger and darker over the world. The United States is no exception to this trend. Much of our postwar planning is a crazy mixture of individual initiative and bureaucratic paternalism. The conflict between those who believe in state socialism and would have the government take over basic industries, and those who believe in the superiority of privately owned enterprise, has led to rash promises. Many on both sides apparently believe that the crux of the issue is a full stomach, with the result that a material value has been put on freedom. Each side has striven to outpromise the other until it has become rank heresy to suggest that there may at times be lean going in the future.

Millions expect government to furnish them jobs, to guarantee peacetime prices, to protect them from the insecurity of competition. They should remember that the more they ask of government, the less freedom they will have. If government ends by owning most of industry and employing most of the people as well as regulating the lives of the remainder, freedom will become a mockery. As Robert S. Henry, eminent writer and historian, observes:

"The right of nonconformity is ultimately the most important of human rights, but I doubt if it can long exist independently of the right of private property. After all, the man who owns nothing, and has no hope of owning anything for himself, is under a terrible handicap in expressing untrammeled individuality. He is without a place for his foot to stand upon, in opposition to the conforming forces of the collectivist state."

Our people could lose everything of material value as the price of victory in this war and still have a bright future. However, let too much government destroy the freedom and hope of the individual to build again and there is no future. The right of ownership is more important than ownership itself.

OUT IN THE OPEN

Those Southerners who have so indignantly denied Communistic influences in the New Deal must have red faces since the New Deal president himself, Franklin Delano Roosevelt, admitted Tuesday that he is a Leftist. Indeed, his statement that his political position is "Left of Center" sounded a lot like boasting.

The Left Wing, as all students of government know, is the party of the economic defeatists, the failures and the misfits who are looking for a political sleight of hand trick to procure for them what they lack the ability, the courage, the self-denial and the energy to win for themselves.

This does not mean that there are no Left-Wingers who are currently successful in business or politics, living well and for the present comparatively sure of their future. But these men and women are not truly courageous. They are unwilling to take a self-reliant person's chance with the vicissitudes of life. They are the Unworthy Stewards who would bury their talent, live on their principal, demand that they be "taken care of" by the vigorous, imaginative and unafraid.

In their hearts they know they are poor stuff, and unless they can set up some sort of dictatorship, the vigorous imaginative and unafraid will kick them out one day. The avowed New Dealer is a mean creature, poor-spirited, envious, afraid of everything. He is not a real American. May he soon pass from the American scene. — Longview News.

SOMETIMES IT'S FUNNY

Some of the home front troubles of this war are going to be funny 20 years hence, but for that matter, some of them are funny now. Take a little incident in a Kansas City court room last week, as reported by the Star of that city.

Officials of a chain store were brought into court. There they heard an investigator for the office of price administration tell the court that in order to buy Christmas boxes in three of the firm's stores she had to buy candy, wrapping tissue and twine. This in OPA eyes constituted tie-in sales, which the OPA frowns on. It was the OPA contention that the stores should have sold the boxes without forcing the customer to buy something else to get them.

Then stepped forward the attorney for the stores and flashed a war producton board order that boxes could not be sold unless they were used as containers. The stores, in short, were caught in the crossfire of government orders aimed in different directions.

This little story has no moral, except perhaps to show that it takes all kinds of rulings, directives and orders to fight a war. If Santa Claus, as in this case, gets pushed around a bit, it is better to laugh and be philosophical about it. That's what most of the folks who are buying a handful of tissue paper, an Easter egg basket and several bottles of previously unheard of alcoholic potions to get one bottle of pre-war Bourbon are doing. C'est la guerre!—Houston Post.

Ever wonder why the "gin" in cotton-gin? It's just an abbreviation of "engine."

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Canyon, Texas

as of the close of business December 30th, 1944.

ASSETS		LIABILITIES	
Loans and Discounts	$ 338,891.02	Capital Stock Common	50,000.00
C. C. C. Wheat Loans	890,702.65	Surplus	27,000.00
Bonds and Warrants	392,997.19	Undivided Profits	4,283.73
Banking House	17,500.00	Reserves	12,500.00
Furniture and Fixtures	3,000.00	Deposits	2,472,497.42
Stock in Fed. Res. Bank	2,300.00		
National Defense Stamp A/c	75.00		
Cash and Exchange	920,815.29		
Total	$2,566,281.15	Total	$2,566,281.15

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THERE IS SOMETHING ALL OF US CAN DO TO HELP OUR COUNTRY— BUY WAR BONDS AND STAMPS NOW.

NOTICE
Tax Payers
PAY YOUR TAXES

Your 1944 TAXES are now due and must be paid by the last day of January, 1945, to avoid penalty.

Both men and women are required to pay their poll tax. Unpaid poll taxes are a lien upon any real or personal property you may own, or come into possession of.

Those who were 60 years of age or more on January 1, 1944 are not required to have an exemption to vote; those who have moved into the county since January 1, 1944, are required to have an exemption; those who have become 21 years of age since January 1, 1944 or will become 21 before election are required to secure an exemption certificate during January, 1945, before they may vote in any of the elections during the year; no charge is made for these exemptions.

In 1945 automobile license fees cannot be paid before February 1st, 1945, but must be paid between February 1st, and April 1st, 1945.

M. E. Cantrell
Sheriff, Tax Assessor and Collector
Randall County

Babson's Predictions for 1945

By ROGER W. BABSON

General Business

1. A year ago the United States Babsonchart Index of the Physical Volume of Business registered 148.6; today it registers 138, justifying my forecast of a year ago. The Canadian Babsonchart Index of the Physical Volume of Business registered 206.9 a year ago; today it registers 197. 1945 will show a reduction of more than 10 per cent both in United States and Canadian business. Furthermore, most of the following comments apply to both countries.

2. War production is already being cut back and this reduction will rapidly continue through 1945. Even those railroads and industries which expect to benefit from a long war with Japan will be disappointed.

3. The re-conversion of industry from war to peace business will increase during every month of 1945. Furthermore, time required for reconversion will not be as great as most people believe.

4. Inventories quoted at their price values, rather than volumes, will continue, as a whole, during 1945 about as during 1944. Raw material piles will be larger, but manufactured goods will be smaller.

5. Population increases in the United States during 1945 will be about 700,000, but the birth of new babies will fall off somewhat.

Retail Commodity Prices

6. Rationing will continue through the most of 1945. During the early part of the year, I expect to see further restrictions especially in connection with meats, canned goods, etc.

7. The retail price of most necessities and some luxuries will be higher during 1945 than at present. The prices of some of the luxuries, such as furs have already collapsed.

8. Steel prices of goods needed for peacetime manufacture should be a little higher, but prices of the heavy war goods will decline. This applies also to the heavy chemicals.

9. The wholesale prices of raw materials in general may decline during 1945, but most consumer goods will hold firm or sell at higher prices. For both gasoline and bituminous coal there may be price concessions.

10. The great question mark of 1945 will be how, to whom and at what price the government will dispose of its billions of dollars worth of unneeded supplies.

Farm Outlook

11. The weather will be the greatest factor in farm production and prices during 1945. The weather has been exceptionally good on the whole for the past few years; but sooner or later we will have a severe drought or an early freeze.

12. Pending a weather upset, more bushels of corn and wheat and more bales of cotton will be raised in 1945 than ever before in our history. Although some prices may slide off, the total farm income for the first half of 1945 should hold up.

13. There should be a 15 per cent decline in hog slaughter and a 5 per cent increase in cattle slaughter.

14. Dairy products will continue to increase both in volume and in price. I am forecasting at least a 3 per cent rise in volume.

15. Farmers will start in 1945 to work again for legislation on their parity program, due to fear of a collapse in all farm prices after the war.

Taxes

16. Taxes will not be increased during 1945 and some will be reduced; in fact, some nuisance taxes will be eliminated altogether.

17. The Federal Debt will continue to increase during 1945.

18. Whatever is done about taxes, the cost of living will continue to rise during 1945.

19. Providing jobs for returning soldiers will be the big political football of 1945. I am not now prepared to forecast what will happen in this connection.

20. Through a coalition of Republicans and Conservative Democrats, we should have a "do nothing" Congress during 1945.

Retail Sales

21. The volume retail sales will show a decline during 1945. Prices of ladies' apparel and general luxuries will suffer, while grocery sales should be higher.

22. The total dollar retail sales should be about equal to 1944 with an increased demand for woolen and cotton textiles for civilian use.

23. The best cities for 1945 business should be:

Altoona, Pa.
New York, N. Y.
Cleveland, Ohio
Davenport, Iowa
San Jose, Calif.
Wichita, Kansas

24. There will be a great stampede in 1945 to get rid of the makeshift ersatz goods which have been made to take the place of good merchandise. Thus, 1945 will witness many "mark-down sales" of unrationed merchandise.

25. Wise will be those manufacturers, merchants and consumers who realize that postwar competition will be terrific and, therefore, withhold purchases until 1946.

Foreign Trade

26. The United States will own over 50 per cent of the world's ships in 1945.

27. There will be an increase in free exports with the "Freed Countries," but Lend-Lease exports will decline.

28. We will make England and Russia large postwar loans provided they spend the money in the United States.

29. Both the British Empire and Russia will go into the competitive foreign trade market during 1945; many cartels and government monopolies will be in operation. I, therefore, forecast higher prices for coffee, cocoa, sugar and many other articles for which we are absolutely dependent upon foreign countries.

30. No Central Bank will be organized nor will the stabilization of foreign currencies be attempted in 1945.

Labor

31. The Little Steel Formula will be amended during 1945.

32. Industrial employment during 1945 will be off 7 per cent in hours and off 10 per cent in pay rolls.

33. The building of a few new autos and new houses will be resumed during 1945.

34. Many industries, now operating on a forty-eight hour week, will return to a forty-hour week during 1945.

35. Wage rates will not decline, but "take-home" income will be less.

War Outlook

36. The greater part of Germany's army will collapse before the German planting season opens in the spring of 1945. Before surrendering, Germany will try poison gas.

37. Japan will not hold out as long as most people think. Japan will collapse within six or twelve months after Germany collapses.

38. If Stalin's health continues, he will be the world's most powerful man in 1945 and may dictate the peace terms, especially for the Pacific.

39. Sometime after April, 1945 Russia will join (or threaten to) the Allies against Japan but only after the promise of territory privileges and a huge loan.

40. The markets may witness a "communistic scare" during 1945; but they should soon recover thereafter.

Stock Market

41. The rails will show the greatest decline during 1945, because the airplane and shipbuilding stocks are already pretty much deflated.

42. The heavy chemicals, steels, and motors may hold their own during 1945; but consumer goods will do much better.

43. The safest stocks to buy—considering value, income and safety — will be the merchandising stocks, especially the chain store stocks.

44. 1944 saw a large increase in the demand for peace stocks with a decline in war stocks; but 1945 will witness them both moving more or less together. Switching has been over-done in most cases.

45. 1945 will continue to witness creeping inflation, although the big movement toward inflation will not take place until the next business depression which will follow the postwar prosperity.

Bonds

46. Though bank loan rates should continue to have an upward tendency, interest rates in general will remain low through 1945, since the money supply is now 20 per cent above normal and government controls will continue.

47. Anticipating the expected decline in Federal taxes, 1945 should surely see a falling off in the price of most municipal and probably other tax-exempt bonds.

48. The highest grade corporation bonds will decline during 1945.

49. Investors will give much more attention to diversification and staggered bond maturities during 1945.

50. More public utilities will be taken over by municipalities and "authorities" during 1945.

Real Estate

51. Suburban real estate will be in much greater demand with higher prices during 1945.

52. City real estate should hold its own, excepting in the congested war areas where declines may set in.

53. Small productive farms will continue to increase in price; but large farms may sell for less in 1945 than in 1944.

54. Building will show a considerable increase. Contracts will be up 25 per cent, but prices may be a little lower due to increases in lumber and cement production.

55. There will be no changes in residential rents during 1945.

56. Real estate will be helped by Congress ceasing to induct any more men into the armed services after June 30, 1945.

Politics and Postwar Peace

57. The uncertain political factor of 1945 will be Mr. Roosevelt. People will soon fear that he may resign before the next Congressional Elections either on account of ill health or to become head of a Peace Commission or new World Organization.

58. Our foreign headaches will become worse and more frequent during 1945. What we are going through to reorganize Italy, will be repeated in many other countries.

59. The Latin American honeymoon has passed its peak. The attitude of Argentina will extend to other countries and our South American troubles will increase during 1945.

60. 1945 will see more religious interest, including more churchgoing, than did 1944. People gradually are realizing that without a Spiritual Awakening no peace or other plans will be much good. Nations cannot be depended upon to cooperate and stick to their agreements unless they recognize God as their real Ruler and Guide.

TEXAS MILK AIDS VICTORY

ONE of the greatest assets in wartime and a direct aid to allied victory is the 55-billion-quart U. S. milk production, according to the Milk Industry Foundation.

Faced with the greatest demand for milk ever known, the dairy industry's wartime record is outstanding. Never in history has there been such a steady flow of milk to so many people.

Milk from U. S. cows literally girdles the earth as the requirements of our armed forces, allies, lend-lease and liberated nations assume global proportions.

U. S. Milk production since Pearl Harbor has reached new high levels and indications are that 1944 may top 1943.

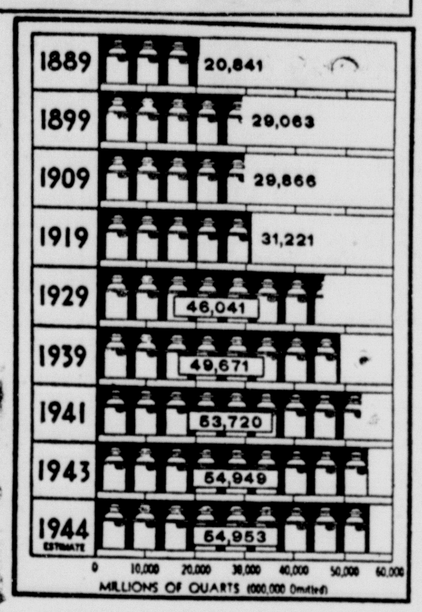
Our armed forces get fresh milk daily wherever possible. Milk is in pharmaceuticals used by military hospitals, butter from America helps restore Russian wounded, powdered milk is in emergency rations. Cheese is valuable to Great Britain; China and Africa get milk powder and liberated youngsters milk products.

On the home front milk drinking, now widely popular in war plants, lessens fatigue, reduces accidents, cuts losses in man-hours, improves production and earning power.

"Milk and its products comprise over 25 per cent of the 1700 pounds of principal food estimated to be consumed annually by the average American," the Foundation says.

"Milk is the largest single source of gross farm income and was 15 per cent of all farm income in 1943—larger than cattle or hogs, twice eggs, over twice cotton, four times wheat, six times tobacco. One out of every 15 U. S. families is dependent on milk for a livelihood.

"Americans enjoy the best milk in the world with sanitary safeguards and widespread distribution. This war has proved the economy and value of milk as a food containing vital components of the diet."



Trend of U. S. Milk Production

Texas' 1,425,000 cows on farms each produced an average of 1,433 quarts of milk in 1943. Total milk production was 2,041,000,000 quarts. In addition to the large quantities consumed as fluid milk and cream, Texas milk was used for making 36,739,000 pounds of creamery butter, 14,694,000 pounds of cheddar cheese, 21,799,000 gallons of ice cream and other products. Farm cash milk income totaled $90,481,000 in 1943.

The first mule bred in this country belonged to George Washington. The first jack brought to this country was presented to him by the King of Spain.

Earliest record of the use of the word garage in the English language seems to be in 1903.

The American public has spent more than $1,000,000 a week on chewing gum since the industry was started in 1860. The initial investment in the business was $55.

Piano wire is considered the strongest wire in proportion to its weight.

CARD OF THANKS

To our many friends we wish to express our sincere appreciation for the thoughtfulness of each of you as expressed in deeds, words and floral offerings, in our recent bereavement. May God's richest blessings be with you. T. A. Black, Mrs. Edna Roach, Mrs. Ada Pratt, Mrs. Eula Holman.

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Social Events of the Week Clubs and Organizations

Sgt. McCuistion Weds Capt. Crow

Sgt. Beatrice McCuistion of Bradley Field, Conn., daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCuistion, became the bride of Capt. Milton E. Crow in San Antonio, December 21.

Sgt. Crow is a member of the WAC and returned to her post December 27.

Capt. Crow was a member of the Co. F National Guard Unit to leave Canyon. He has recently returned from the European theatre where he has been for two years.

MRS. ONA LEE AND FLOYD JENNINGS WED DEC. 24

Mrs. Ona Lee and Floyd Jennings, son of Mrs. T. C. Jennings were married at Borger, Dec. 24.

After a wedding breakfast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank A. Crowley, niece of the bride, the couple left for Canyon and Lockney where they will visit relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jennings will make their home at Perryton.

THE ROSE WALKER CIRCLE MEETS WITH MRS ANTHONY

The Rose Walker Circle met Tuesday with Mrs. E. B. Anthony as hostess.

"Near the Cross" was the opening song. Mrs. C. Anderson conducted the devotional from Matthew VII. Mrs. J. T. Burnett led in Prayer.

Fifteen members answered roll call with favorite Bible verses.

Mrs. J. W. McCrerey led the Bible study by reading the first two chapters of Genesis.

Mrs. Burnett read a letter from Bro. Aulick, and Mrs. Reid read one from Bro. Claybrook former pastors of the church.

Sentence prayers were offered at the close of the meeting.

Mrs. C. Anderson will be hostess to the Circle next Tuesday.

Mrs. Al Williams arrived this week at the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. P. Jarrett. Her husband, Capt. Al Williams, is at an embarkation center and expects to be shipped overseas soon.

Dora Tucek Becomes Bride of Pfc. Coale

In a double ring ceremony performed at the Post Chapel No. 3, Amarillo Army Air Field at two o'clock on Christmas Day, Miss Dora Tucek, daughter of Mrs. Lena Tucek, became the bride of Pfc. Richard Coale of Los Angeles, Calif., son of Mrs. R. I. Richards of West Union, Illinois. Chaplain J. R. Simmons performed the ceremony.

Mrs. Alvin Friemel, niece of the bride, played "Always" (Berlin) and "I Love You Truly," (Carrie Jacobs Bond) before the bridal party entered. Mendelssohn's "Wedding March" and the "Bridal Chorus" from "Lohengrin" (Wagner) were played by the organist.

The altar was decorated with vases of white chrysanthemums and fern and candelabra in which white tapers were burning.

The bride's attendants wore identical dresses made with shirred waists and full net skirts. The round neckline dropped forming a sweetheart neckline and had short cap sleeves.

Mrs. G. H. Leseberg and Miss Louise Tucek, sister of the bride, were bridesmaids. They wore pink and blue net respectively. Each carried a bouquet of white chrysanthemums and pink and blue sweet peas. Gladys Leseberg and Elizabeth Ann Beckman, nieces of the bride, wore dresses identical to those of the bridesmaids. They carried baskets filled with white daisies. Miss Carrie Bauer of Happy was maid of honor. Her white dress was fashioned with a lace fitted bodice with three quarter length sleeves and sweetheart neckline with a full net skirt. Each attendant wore shoulder length veils matching her dress.

Pfc. Nick Paznonovic was the best man. Jack McBroom, Jr., nephew of the bride and Lewis Tucek, brother of the bride, were the ushers.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, G. H. Leseberg, wore a white satin gown fashioned with sweetheart neckline. The fitted bodice was buttoned down the back falling into a long train. Long fitted sleeves came to the point over the hand. Her three quarter length veil of domestic illusion was edged with white silk lace and was held in place by a coronet of seed pearls. She carried a white handkerchief that was given to Miss Carrie Bauer by her late grandmother Bauer for something "borrowed." She also had the traditional something "old," "blue" and "new." She wore a single strand of pearls, gift of the bridegroom and carried a bouquet of white narcissus and chrysanthemums with white narcissus shower.

The bride's mother wore black crepe with black accessories and wore a white and pink carnation corsage.

At the reception following at the bride's home, the wedding dinner was served from a lace covered table centered with the two tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bridegroom soldier and bride. On either side of the cake were three tapers of pink, blue and white and bouquets of white chrysanthemums and pink and blue sweet peas.

For the wedding trip the bride wore a moss green three piece suit with a white blouse and other accessories of black. She wore a white chrysanthemum corsage.

Pfc. Coale is stationed at Amarillo Field and the couple is at home at the Resident Hotel in Amarillo.

EDGETOWN H. D. CLUB HAS CHRISTMAS PARTY

For the December meeting of the Edgetown Home Demonstration Club the members met in Thompson Club Room for the annual Christmas party.

Christmas carols were sung.

Mrs. Rice conducted a contest pertaining to the books of the Bible.

Guessing the identity of photographs of the earlier days of the club members furnished great pleasure to all.

Gifts were exchanged revealing the year's secret pals.

Pop corn balls and Christmas candies were served to Mrs. E. B. Anthony, Mrs. J. M. Breitling, Mrs. Henry Cone, Mrs. Penny Cox, Mrs. W. T. Davis, Mrs. J. C. Dowd, Mrs. T. T. Fain, Mrs. L. L. Gore, Mrs. E. C. Penick, Mrs. W. L. Rice, Mrs. O. M. Solomon, Mrs. George Taylor, Mrs. P. L. Walters, Mrs. W. I. Wester, Mrs. Frank R. Phillips, Mrs. J. H. Wright, Mrs. Charles Doebler, Mrs. H. C. Long, Miss Lou Ella Patterson, Miss Mabel Solomon, and Miss Dorea Lou Rice.

The next meeting will be Jan. 12 with Mrs. E. B. Anthony. The program will be a demonstration on candlewick bedspreads by Miss Patterson.

Mrs. J. E. Barron from Lamesa visited with her mother, Mrs. Jessie Reid, the past week. While she was here, Mrs. Barron, Mrs. Reid, Mrs. Frank Hicks and Mrs. Sanford Black met Mrs. Pearl Umphres from Houston in Amarillo at the home of Mrs. Jim Collins, another daughter of Mrs. Reid.

JOHN JENNINGS CELEBRATE CRYSTAL ANNIVERSARY

On Wednesday night, Mr. and Mrs. John Jennings entertained friends with an anniversary party at their lovely country home. They were honoring their Crystal Anniversary and also honoring the Silver Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Spencer.

Forty-two and various other games were enjoyed throughout the evening.

From the lace covered table centered by a crystal basket of silver leaves, flanked on either side by tall silver candelabra with red tapers, sandwiches, cookies, coffee and cocoa were served to the following guests. Mr. and Mrs. Carl McDonald, Imogene and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. George Edmunds, Molly Sue and George, Jr. of Happy; Mr. and Mrs. Roy Byrd and Walton, Mrs. Henry Meyer and Sgt. Margarethe Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Burtz and Clifford, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Bible, Billy and James, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Byrd, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyer, Helene and Annette, Misses Glena Eiland, June and Janie Jennings, Helen Spencer and the honorees.

CHICKEN DINNER TO HONOR BOYS LEAVING FOR SERVICE

Mrs. F. M. Brazil and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer were hostesses for a chicken dinner and all the trimmings, Friday, Dec. 29, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer.

Friends brought covered dishes and a bountiful dinner honored Milton Brazil, Curtis Lehnick, Junior Bauer and Melvin Schaeffer, who are leaving for the armed forces soon.

Those enjoying the day were: Mrs. W. C. White, Mrs. Ed Cabe, and Rawleigh, Pvt. and Mrs. Frank Tirey and children, Willie Faye Penn, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest White and family, Mrs. Vincent Huber and son, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Wise and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bauer and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Moore and Naomi, Mrs. Lehnick and Curtis, Lou Ella Pitt, Van Cope, Mrs. H. J. Slack and Gloria, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brazill and family, and Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Schaeffer and family.

PRIMARY CLASSES PRESENT YULE PROGRAM FOR P. T. A.

The Parent-Teacher Association met in the grade school library on Dec. 14 for their Christmas program. Children of the first four grades sang Christmas carols. Miss Moss Richardson gave a very interesting talk on "Making our homes secure for these children and for the boys returning from foreign service."

After the business meeting a social hour was held in the old music room.

A. A. U. W. TO MEET

The A. A. U. W. will meet with Miss Ruth Lowes January 8 at 7:30 o'clock. The Drama group will meet at the same time and place.

Those spending Christmas day with Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Sykes and children were: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Golden and Bobby Jean, Mrs. Boyd Golden and children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sykes, Mrs. Edna McCasland, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stalling and Dortha Dean, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Adcock and Nancy, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Sykes, Jr., and children, Mrs. Anna Miller, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Miller, Glen and Loraine, Pfc. and Mrs. Dave Lasher, and Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Miller, Betty and Clinton.

Dean (Spike) Lowes, Ph. M. has reported to his new assignment at the Naval Hospital, Quantico, Va. after having spent a month with his mother, Mrs. Ida Lowes. Mr. Lowes had spent more than two years in the Pacific area.

Cpl. Almouth Lamar Sorgee from San Luis Obispo, Calif., visited with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sorgee, last week.

Royce Edward Boyce and Bill Drummond are stationed at the Great Lakes Naval Training Base after having been accepted into the Navy last week.

Mrs. Ted Reid and daughter, Virginia, spent from Tuesday until Sunday in Pampa with Lt. Ted Reid.

Rationing Calendar Jan. 1 to Feb. 1

Sugar: Stamps No. 30, 31, 32, 33 and 40 in Book IV and all home-canning coupons and certificates are now invalid. Stamp No. 34 is good for five pounds sugar.

Meats and Fats: Book IV, blue stamps A8 through W5 are now invalid. X5, Y5, Z5, A2, and B2 are good for 10 points each. C2, D2, E2, F2 and G2 will become valid January 1, 1945.

Shoes: Book III, stamps one, two and three, with airplane pictures, each good for one pair indefinitely.

Gasoline: (Coupons must be endorsed on front) A coupons, 4 gal. each with No. 14 expiring March 21, 1945. B-4 and C-4 coupons are invalid Jan. 1, 1945. B-5, B16, C-5 and C-6 rations have a value of 5 gal. each. R-1 and R-2, 5 gal. (valid for bulk delivery only); T coupons designated "Fourth Quarter" are invalid Midnight December 31, 1944, and T coupons designated "First Quarter" will become valid on that date, good for 5 gal.; D, one and one-half gal.; and E-1 and E-2, one gal. each.

Tire Inspection: T book holders every six months or every 5,000 miles, whichever comes first. New mileage rationing record required to obtain gasoline rations. Application for passenger car tire replacement must show condition of all tires in use.

Jowell Items

Sgt. Melvin (Pete) Leavitt spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Leavitt, after being released from the air base hospital in Amarillo. He left Saturday night for a new camp.

Mrs. W. T. Cope and children visited in Ballinger over the Christmas holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Bonds and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bonds and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. J. Bonds and family and Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Bonds attended a family reunion at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bonds at Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Eiland of Plainview and Mrs. O. M. Barry of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Eiland Sunday and Monday.

Mrs. A. J. Walker and children and Mrs. Ira Turner of Hereford visited in the W. T. Cope home Monday.

Mrs. Lloyd Crownover of Claude and Miss Anita Barrett of Lubbock spent the Christmas holidays in the parental J. H. Barrett home.

Floyd Bonds left Monday for Oklahoma City and Kenneth Woolsey left Tuesday for Oklahoma City to be inducted into the Armed Forces.

Buy Another Bond Today.

Happy Birthday

January 5th—
- Elizabeth McCaslin
- Elaine Blewett
- Mrs. Jean Tippery
- F. M. Brazil
- Mrs. Roy Byrd, Jr.

January 6th—
- Mrs. Bill Harris
- Joe Gill
- Mrs. Walter Stubblefield

January 7th—
- Ray Nickleson
- H. E. Campfield
- Joe Edd Turpin
- Mrs. R. L. Boling
- Mrs. R. T. Furlow

January 8th—
- Arthur Duncan
- Hellen Miller
- Mrs. M. E. Cantrell
- Anna Elizabeth Hales
- Mrs. T. J. Myers
- Mrs. M. T. Canada
- Mrs. J. T. Coffee
- Mrs. Paul H. Aldridge

January 9th—
- Mrs. Ellsworth Barnard
- Carrie Marie Dawdy
- Mabel Spiser
- Billy Ray Boling
- Bob Boling
- David Sherman

January 10th—
- Dr. C. E. Donnell
- Margaret Richard
- Mrs. I. N. Fix
- Charles Tarmon
- Madie Owen

January 11th—
- J. V. Williams
- Mary Ella Davis
- Elvert Lannery
- Bobby Johnston
- Don Gay Dickerson
- J. W. Hicks

Missed last week Dec. 31st—
- Walter Boening.

Capt. Joe Gill has returned to the east coast for further assignment. Capt. Gill spent the month of December with his wife, his daughter, and his parents after having been over seas with the 36th for more than two years.

Miss Bonnie Jean Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Sleagle were additional guests in the home of Mrs. Ruth Costley at the family reunion Christmas.

CHILDREN'S DRESSES

1 to 7
7 to 14
in cottons

This is our spring allotment, so shop now for

Spring and Summer Needs

One Group of Dresses $8.95

See Our Suits and Coats

McDONALD SHOP

PULL UP A CHAIR TO A SOUTHERN FARM!

Every day and any day, you can sit down to the good eating of fresh produce right off sun-drenched southern farms. How? By making your daily selection of fresh vegetables at our Produce Department . . . a Summer farm in the heart of town. Here you'll find a grand variety of garden favorites at the flavor peak.

Idaho Russets 10 lbs.
POTATOES 45c

ONIONS Yellow Spanish pound 4¢
CARROTS, 2 Large Bunches 15c
ORANGES Texas Seedless pound 8¢
Delicious, Winesaps, or Rome
APPLES, lb. 12c

Green Beans, White, Yellow and Acorn Squash, Beets, Mustard, Peppers, Tomatoes, Broccoli, Cauliflower, Turnips and Tops, Avacodas, Etc.

FLOUR — Gold Medal 25 lbs. $1.19
SOUP — Campbell's Tomato Can 10¢

TOMATO PUREE 2 Cans 15¢
VEG-ALL, Can 19c
OXYDOL, Large Box 23c
BLEACH Nu Way Full Strength—quart 15¢
TISSUE, Scots, 3 Rolls . . . 25c
PINTO BEANS New Crop 5 lbs. 49¢
RAISINS, Seedless, 2 lbs. . 25c
PEACHES, No. 2½ Can . . 15c

CHOICE MEATS

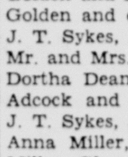
OLEO Meadolake Colored pound 37¢
SAUSAGE, Pure Pork, lb. . 35c
STEAK, Loin, lb. 38c
ROAST, Fancy Beef, lb. 28c
LIVER, Pork, No Points, lb. . 22c

SPECIALS FOR FRIDAY AND SATURDAY, JAN. 5-6

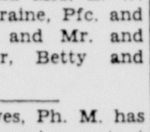
Cooper's M SYSTEM
PHONE 213 ~ FREE DELIVERY

Best Known Home Remedy For Relieving Miseries of CHILD'S COLDS

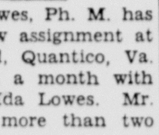
The modern *external* treatment *most* young mothers use to relieve discomforts of children's colds . . . muscular soreness or tightness, coughing, irritation in upper bronchial tubes . . . is Vicks VapoRub. So *easy* to use. You just rub it on—and right away blessed relief starts to come as VapoRub . . .



PENETRATES to upper bronchial tubes with its special medicinal vapors



STIMULATES chest and back surfaces like a warming poultice



Often by morning most of the misery of the cold is gone. Remember this . . . ONLY VAPORUB Gives You this special penetrating-stimulating action. It's time-tested, home-proved, the best known home remedy for relieving miseries of colds. VICKS VAPORUB

VALUES AS YOU like Them

Budget dresses to take you through the cold days ahead. Charming styles in three price groups

GROUP I includes tailored crepes and woolens in sleek styles for all purpose wear.
All sizes—
$4.98

GROUPS II and III. Dresses young in style and careful tailoring. Trim gaberdines or crepes to please the most fastidious.
New season colors as well as black.
Sizes—
$8.95
$10.95

Fall Hats

Clean in values galore. Colors to go with every costume. Group I

HAT FLATTERY to catch and hold the eye.
New Hand made models to clean up—
½ PRICE

Warren's

Phone 98

Ambulance Service—Day Phone 113; Night Phone 180W.

Many Citizens Must File Income Tax Reports on the 15th of January, '45

Remember Jan. 15. It's an important day for about 15 million taxpayers. It affects you if:

1. You were single and made more than $2,700 in 1944 or were married and made more than $3,500 and did not have the full income tax withheld from your wages or salary during the year.

2. You were not subject to withholding taxes but had income other than wages or salary. This would include shopkeepers, landlords, professional men and women.

3. You are a farmer.

The date is important to those people because:

Those who made quarterly income tax payments in 1944 on 1944 income must make their final payment by Jan. 15.

Those who have to make an amended declaration on their estimated tax on 1944 income must do it by Jan. 15 and pay the tax,too.

Most farmers—because they were not required to—did not make any tax payments or tax estimates last year on their 1944 income. But by Jan. 15 they must file their estimate on the 1944 tax—and pay it.

Here's the explanation:

All the people in Group No. 1—from whose wages the full tax was not withheld—by last April 15 had to file an estimate on the total tax they figured would be due on their 1944 income.

Then they arranged to pay the balance due—over and above the tax taken from their wages — in quarterly installments, starting last April 15 and ending Jan. 15.

All the people in Group No. 2—from whose income no tax was taken—also by last April 15 had to file an estimate on the total tax they figured would be due on their 1944 income.

They arranged to pay that full tax in the same quarterly installments, also.

If they did not underestimate their total tax by more than 20 per cent, then on Jan. 15 people in Groups 1 and 2 just pay their fourth and final installment.

They don't have to fill out any returns until March 15 when everybody—and this includes those from whose wages the full tax was taken—has to file a final return on his income and taxes for 1944.

(It is through this March 15 return that final adjustments are made. You find then you owe the government a few dollars more or that the government owes you some refund.)

But some people in Groups No. 1 and No. 2 above—for various reasons—now find that they underestimated their total 1944 tax by more than 20 per cent.

There is a penalty for this unless by Jan. 15 they file what is called amended declaration of estimated tax for 1944. They do this on the same kind of form—1040-ES—that they used in making their original estimate last April 15.

They fill it out, showing what they now find their total 1944 tax should be, write "amended" across the top of it and send it in to their internal revenue collector.

But with it they must send the full tax payment. It would work like this:

Last April John Jones estimated his 1944 tax would be $100 above and beyond what would be withheld. He arranged to pay this in quarterly installments of $25. He has paid three installments. The fourth and final one is due Jan. 15.

But he now finds he underestimated, that his total tax above withholding should be $150. So—together with his amended declaration—he sends in that additional $50, plus the $25 installment due.

So—the only people who have to worry about filling out forms by Jan. 15 are the farmers and the people with the amended declarations.

The latter can save themselves some worry, if they wish. Instead of filling out the amended declaration (1040-ES) and then on March 15 filling out the final return (Form 1040), they can save paper work.

They can fill out the final return (1040) now—showing the full tax due—and send it in by Jan. 15, together with the tax they now find they owe.

In this way they don't have to fool with 1040-ES at all. And they don't have to file any final return in March. They've already done it by using form 1040 now.

FOR SALE

FOR SALE: 125 good white faced calves, 10 miles S. W. of Canyon. Price $50. J. D. Amend, phone 25028, Amarillo. 1p

FOR SALE: Alfalfa Hay. Bleached 65c bale; green $1.00 bale. Call Hawks, 9423, Amarillo. 44p2

FOR SALE: 3 small gas heaters, 1 breakfast table and 4 chairs. 2010 4th Ave. Phone 419W. 1p

FOR SALE: Two lots on Fourth Ave., near the college; cheap; terms if necessary. Clyde W. Warwick. tf

MISCELLANEOUS

LOST: Billfold containing money and papers. Finder may keep money. Please return purse and papers, S. L. Terry. Return to Thompson Hardware. 43p2

WANTED: Farm hand for general farm work. Good wages to right party. Write Calvin Casey, Amarillo, Rt. 2, Box 306. 1p

STRAYED: To my place white face cow, has brand. Pay for feed bill and this ad. 2 miles west ½ mile north Hollywood Service Station. Gerhard Wiegard. 44p2

LOST: Between 7th St. and town, black glove trimmed with kid, for right hand. Leave at News office. 1t

LOST: Small yellow gold ladies wrist watch between Duck Inn and post office. Reward. Return to News office or Mrs. Luther Wesley. 1p

WANTED: To keep children day and night. 1005 4th Ave. Phone 460J. 1p

WANTED: Farm hand with small family. H. B. Hales, Amarillo, Rt. 1, 11 miles N. E. of Canyon. 44p2

LOST: 12 gauge automatic shot gun and jacket at gate of Palo Duro Club ground. Reward. Call 4461 Amarillo, collect. 1t

LOST: Blue rim glasses. $2.50 reward. Return to News office. 1t

CHRISTMAS PIANO SPECIALS: Four latest model spinnettes, only 36 inches high like new, guaranteed quality. Come early and choose between Kimball, Baldwin, Lenox or Lauter. Also four first-line baby grands: Steinway, Lindeman, Lester, Hazleton at drastically reduced prices for Christmas only! Your choice of any Upright on our floor at 30% discount for Christmas only! Condition guaranteed. Visit either or both of our stores at: MARY L. SPENCE PIANO STORES, 1026 West 6th St., Amarillo. 710 Broadway, Plainview. 41t4

FOR SALE: Two large chairs, new upholstery job. Prewar made. Canyon Mattress Co. Phone 57. 39tf

FOR QUICK SALE LIST YOUR PROPERTY WITH S. H. HAILE, 710 FISK BLDG., PH. 8811 OR 25833, AMARILLO TEXAS. 26tf

STOCKHOLDERS MEETING

Notice is hereby given to the stockholders of the First National Bank in Canyon that the annual meeting of the stockholders of this bank will be held at its offices on the second Tuesday of January, 1945, the same being the 9th day of January, 1945, at 3:30 p. m. for the purpose of electing directors for the ensuing year and considering the matter of amendnig the Articles of Association.

38t6 W. C. BLACK, Cashier.

Lt. (jg) C. Oscar Croson, transferred to Norfolk, Va., for two months armed guard training, left Tuesday afternoon for his new assignment after having spent the holidays with his mother, Mrs. N. A. Croson. Mrs. Croson and baby daughter who accompanied Lt. Croson here will return to her home at Petersburg.

Mrs. Paul Aldridge who has been working at the window of the Olympic Theatre for the past 13 months, left Sunday night to join her husband T-Sgt. Paul Aldridge at Biloxi, Mississippi. Sgt. Aldridge has been made an instructor in the field at Biloxi after having served for 50 missions in the Italian campaign.

Mrs. Arthur C. Haley, Jr., and daughter, Mary Patricia, left Monday for Coronado, Calif., where they will make their home while the husband, Lt. (jg) Haley is in the navy. Mrs. Clyde Warwick, mother of Mrs. Haley, accompanied them to stay for three weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Foster of Kress spent a few days here last week. They recently returned from California where they were working in aircraft production. They will continue their farm operations at Kress.

Gene Austin Fullingim, son of Mrs. Blanche Croson Fullingim, of Petersburg, visited with his grandmother, Mrs. N. A. Croson, during the Christmas season. Gene Austin goes into the armed service Jan 10 as a member of the Merchant Marine.

Lt. Donald Foster left Tuesday for San Marcos where he is instructor in the Army Air Corps. He has been on a 10 days Christmas leave to visit at the parental R. E. Foster home.

C. E. Strain of Dumas was here during the holidays. He visited for a few days with his son, Charles, who is in the army camp at Ft. Sumner.

Mrs. Lee Russell returned Monday to Norman, Okla., after spending a week at the parental C. R. Flesher home. Ensign Russell was here for Christmas.

Lewis Hales, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hales, left Christmas day to report for training with the Merchant Marines at St. Petersburg, Florida.

O. W. Gano of Sweetwater was here during the holidays visiting friends and relatives. He was on sick leave from his position with Old Age Assistance.

Miss Martha Campbell returned Sunday to Dallas after spending Christmas at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell.

Mrs. Jim Burrow from Dalhart visited her brothers, Newt and T. V. Reeves, over the week end.

Appeal Is Made For More Workers in Munition Plants

Governor Coke Stevenson has appealed to all mayors of Texas to make a survey of the local manpower for the purpose of inducing men who are not engaged in essential war work to get into some branch of these vital industries.

It is suggested by the Governor that every business spare an employee or two and allow them to transfer into war work.

The appeal has been made in the Panhandle for war workers at Pantex. As a result several local citizens volunteered and worked in the ammunition plant last week during the Christmas holidays.

The Governor points out that Texas has a vital interest in keeping the men supplied with ammunition, due to the large number of men who are in the armed forces from this state.

Every man and woman who can possibly leave his present jobs, even for a limited period of time is urged to enlist in the final push for victory. Since Pantex is the closest war plant to Canyon, scores of men and women are working there daily.

Shoe Stamps May Be Cut in Period of Time

Cancellation of outstanding shoe stamps is not being considered, the Office of Price Administration at Lubbock has announced. Although increased military demands are cutting into civilian supplies, the War Production Board—Office of Civilian Requirements—said that shoe supplies are adequate to honor stamps now outstanding.

While the War Production Board has not yet completed its estimates of 1945 production, OPA said indications are that the next shoe stamp probably will not be validated until sometime next summer. OPA said that no specific date for making the next stamp good can be given now. That decision awaits further information on production for 1945.

Miss Shirley Harrell left Monday to return to her school work in the University of Arizona, Tuscon, Ariz., after having spent the holidays at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Newton Harrell, and with her grandmothers, Mrs. E. D. Harrell and Mrs. N. A. Croson.

Milton Brazil and Curtis Lehnick left Tuesday for Dallas for final examinations to enter the Navy. They hoped to be accepted and sent directly to training points.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalby Fleming from Lamar, Colo., joined Mrs. Fleming's father, J. O. Vineyard, in visiting in the T. S. Maxwell home over the week end.

Cpl. Joe Hales has returned to Alexandria, La. after having spent a 5-day at home leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hales.

Charles Cooper, accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Clay Cooper, and his aunt, Mrs. Faye Cannedy, visited in Panhandle this week.

Mrs. Bud Myers and son visited in Lubbock over the week end.

Mrs. W. S. Myers visited in Plainview over the week end.

ORDINANCE NO. 95

AN ORDINANCE REGULATING PARKING, TRAVEL AND TRAFFIC ON FOURTH AVENUE AND ELEVENTH STREET IN THE CITY OF CANYON, TEXAS AND PROVIDING PENALTIES FOR THE VIOLATION OF SAME, AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF CANYON, TEXAS:

Section 1. It shall be the duty of all persons owning or operating or having charge or under their control or custody any vehicle, wagon, automobile, truck, tractor, motorcycle or any other vehicle upon Fourth Avenue and Eleventh Street or intersecting streets thereto in the City of Canyon, Texas to observe and conform to the following rules and regulations.

Section 2. All persons operating or parking an automobile, truck, tractor, motor cycle, wagon or other vehicle upon Fourth Avenue and Eleventh Street from its intersection with Fourth Avenue North to U. S. Highway 60 shall cause such vehicle under their control to be parked along the right-hand curb and parallel with the curb. All parking shall be in single line parallel parking, with no center parking.

Section 3. All persons operating or driving an automobile, truck, tractor, motor cycle or other vehicle upon all streets from Tenth to Twenty seventh Street where they intersect Fourth Avenue shall bring the same to a complete stop upon approaching Fourth Avenue and before driving upon or across said Fourth Avenue.

Section 4. Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be fined any sum not to exceed One Hundred ($100.00) Dollars.

Section 5. All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 6. In view of the fact that this ordinance is necessary for the immediate protection and preservation of the streets, public safety and general welfare, it becomes necessary that this ordinance shall be in full force and effect immediately from and after its passage and it is accordingly so ordained.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 2nd day of January, A. D. 1945

W. A. WARREN,
Mayor, City of Canyon, Texas.

Attest: Berl E. Mayfield,
City Secretary. 44t3

Prexy Hill Talks on Future of W. T. at Rotary

President J. A. Hill spoke Tuesday at the Rotary Club luncheon, discussing post - war certainties. While considering the uncertainties of today, Mr. Hill pointed out things which he considered as entirely certain in the future.

Among these are: America will be the most powerful nation on the globe—military, political, economic; we will carry the responsibility of clothing and feeding a large portion of the world; vast inequalities of standard of living will continue throughout the world; national hatreds are being intensified by the war; the race for national advantages will continue, with an increase in power politics, (Hitler is taking advantage of this strife among the Allies and hope they will fall out); science and inventions will play a greater role following the war; distances will be obliterated through air travel; differences between race and color will be increased; it will be increasingly difficult for peoples to live together, (80% of all recorded time has been spent in wars); so long as the human race tolerates evils, there will be war; Democracy will survive in some part of the world; U. S. is playing with destiny as we shall either be the leaders or become a failure; "God is in his Heaven," but not all is right with the world.

Dr. Hill outlined the qualification of Americans who are needed to meet the problems of the future.

These qualifications are: Physically fit; mentally alert; morally sound; spiritually atuned to the Divine will.

West Texas State is setting up a program to meet these requirements. The course of study is being developed to serve the youth of the land in the future under new conditions. Vocational training will be increased to meet the scientific and mechanical age which is in the making.

Dr. Hill has already outlined in the News the building program which he wishes to be completed. But he is planning for the ethical, moral and religious development which may be attained in the College. Volunteer subscriptions are being made for the chapel which he wants to erect for spiritual development of the students.

Dr. Hill praised the splendind achievements of the past, but pointed to the increased responsibilities of the future. Canyon gave $100,100 in order to secure the college. It was a good investment. But the people of Randall county could well afford to give another $100,100 for the program which is being planned.

Visitors were: Judge Henry S. Bishop, Allen Early, O. K. Lewis, Irving Tolzein, E. Kancher, all of Amarillo.

New Regulation Canning Sugar

"If you have any of the old Red, Blue or sugar stamps or any old canning sugar certificates which have been cancelled, destroy them," the District Office of Price Administration urged housewives today. Use of these stamps by consumers, as well as acceptance of them by retailers, is a violation of rationing regulations.

Officials explained that housewives are asked to tear invalid stamps out of their Ration Books and destroy them immediately to keep them from getting into the hands of wartime chiselers who might find illegal ways to use them. This would only take more food out of short supplies and make it harder for consumers to get what they really need, they said.

"In addition, it will make it much easier for the housewife and for the grocer not to have a number of useless, excess coupons to worry with each time a purchase is made."

Mrs. T. I. Hollis visited her son, J. N. in Hereford over the week end. Mr. Hollis had fallen on the ice last week and hurt his back seriously.

Mrs. H. L. Stone and son, Tabor Rodger, went to Amarillo Monday to visit for some time with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stone.

Buy Another Bond Today!

Gifts, Books,
Greeting Cards
Stationery
—all reasonably priced.
WARWICK'S
THE GIFT SHOP

Buffs Won Game With Hardin-Simmons Last Night

The Buffaloes won another game from Hardin-Simmons of Abilene last night by a score of 64 to 30. This was the third victory of the Buffs over this team for the season.

The two teams will play again tonight at Burton Gym.

Tire Shortage Is More Acute

January tire quotas for the Lubbock District are much lower than those for December Ely Fonville, District Rationing Executive for the Office of Price Administration, has announced.

Increased military demands based on recent action both in the Pacific and European War Theaters brought on the January cuts, Fonville stated, pointing out the recent statement by General Eisenhower that "American armies fighting along the German border face a tire shortage so serious it threatens to tie up ten per cent of all Army vehicles by early February."

In view of the fact that General Eisenhower has termed tires his "number one shortage item," it is imperative that vehicle owners must have tires recapped promptly, Fonville urged, pointing out that failure to recap in time can lead only to needed cars and trucks being laid up for lack of tires.

Passenger, small and large truck, and small and large tractor tire quotas all were cut drastically for January, but the largest cut came in the quota of small truck tires.

Miss Novella Goodman and Miss Jean Moore were efficient helpers in the J. J. Walker Drug Store during the holidays.

Miss Ann Burgess left Monday for her school at Hobbs, N. M., after having spent the holidays with her mother, Mrs. John Burgess.

The word diva, used in reference to a great woman singer, is the feminine form of the Italian word divo, meaning divine.

A weed is a plant whose virtues have not been discovered.

It's disgusting and disappointing to learn how few friends you really have—so keep out of trouble.

Daylight saving to some people simply means another hour they can waste.

Teacher: How old would a person be who was born in 1894.

Johnny: Man or woman?

Umbarger Items

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Frische and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Grabber, Jan. 1.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hollenstein and family and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Frank, Mr. and Mrs. George Frank were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Frank, Sr., Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Hollenstein and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. Hollenstein and children spent New Year's with Mr. and Mrs. M. Hollenstein.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Batenhorst and children were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Koch.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Batenhorst spent New Year's eve with Mr. and Mrs. John Batenhorst.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jansen spent New Year's eve with Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Gerhan of Happy.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Buecher and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wieck spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Beckman were supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas Beckman.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Beckman and daughter, Mrs. Alvin Friemel and daughter were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. Berg, New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Friemel and family spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Ted Friemel.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Diller and family were dinner guests with Mr. and Mrs. C. Diller, New Years.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hoffman were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. Stocker.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Fischbacher spent Sunday with Max Hoffmans.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kleinschmidt visited Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Westhoff and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Huff had supper with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Frische Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Brockman, Eddie and Clara Wieck, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hollenstein had dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bauer and son, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Friemel and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Wieck, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Charley Friemel spent New Years at Ted Friemel's.

Dinner guests of Mrs. Stella Murrel at the Gerald Hotel Sunday were Mrs. John Davis, Mrs. J. D. Key and Mrs. Jessie Reid.

Bob Dowd who is a student at A. & M. College spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Dowd.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Gidden visited over the week end in Memphis.

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Entering, he seated himself at the counter and said, "Bring me some fried oysters." The waiter said, "Yes, sir; they're forty cents a dozen; how many will you have?"

Now the only kind of oysters that Jim had ever seen were in a can—cove oysters, with a "nigger head" on the label, (you old-timers can remember). Those oysters were about the size of your thumb-nail, so Jim did some rapid calculating and then said, "Bring me three dozen."

It seemed to him that the waiter sorter blinked but pretty soon he returned with a big platter full of oysters—fresh ones of course and much larger than Jim's canned variety.

"That was the most oysters I'd ever seen," he related, afterward. "But I pitched in and ate 'em. Just as I finished, the waiter came back and said:

"'That was the first dozen; I'll have the second dozen ready in a minute.'

"Well, out he came with another big platter and I ate them, much slower than the first ones because I realized now that the cook and his assistant had been working in relays on my order and out would soon come the third dozen—which it did.

"I hated to admit I was just a bumpkin so I started in on it. It so happened that I had on my overcoat and, when I'd catch nobody looking, I'd drop a couple of those pesky oysters into the pockets. In this way, I finally got rid of that third platterful and staggered up to the cash register, and asked how much I owed.

"The waiter replied, 'I don't own the place but I been talkin' it over with the chef an' we decided that anybody that could eat three dozen oysters—why, the show was worth the money; you don't owe a cent.'

"But," Jim concluded, "it was eight years before I could stand to gaze into the frank and open countenance of an oyster."

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Pleasantview

Sunday night, Dec. 31, the young people of the community gathered in the Earl Burtz home for a New Year watch party.

Mr. and Mrs. George Edmunds and family of Happy spent Wednesday night in the John Jennings home.

Mrs. Henry Meyer, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Meyer, Helen and Annette called in the J. W. Spencer home Sunday evening.

Mrs. C. S. Davenport and daughters spent Sunday in the Edgar Robinson home.

Juanita Avent of Canyon spent the week end with June Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Currie and family spent Sunday in Tulia visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bible of Canyon spent Sunday in the Jim Bible home.

Mrs. Rhita Tucker visited in the Earl Burtz home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Jennings of Perryton visited recently in the John Jennings home.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Cummins and family were in Amarillo on business Saturday.

Ray Stone of Canyon spent Friday and Saturday with Edwin Davenport.

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Red Beard Saves Life of Wrecked Warship Survivor

Football Star Tells of 43 Days He Spent Inside Japanese Lines.

SAN FRANCISCO.—Lieut. Hugh Barr Miller, 33 years old, a survivor of the sunken destroyer Strong, recently related here how he spent 43 days inside Japanese lines and was "saved by my red beard."

The lieutenant from Tuscaloosa, Ala., and 22 others found temporary safety on a floating net when the Strong went down in the central Solomons last July 4. Six of them finally reached a beach on Japanese held Arundel island, where three died. Lieutenant Miller, wounded, ordered the remaining two to leave him.

The Alabaman, quarterback on Alabama's Rose Bowl team of 1931, lay in the jungle alone for four days—until July 18.

Sprayed by Jap Zero.

"On the 18th I started up to a spring," he said in an interview. "A Japanese Zero sprayed me and I was hit in the wrist and neck.

"The next seven days I was kept busy dodging Japs. I made a camp on the 26th and had fresh water and coconuts.

"The night of August 2 a PT boat shot up a Jap barge 250 yards from me. I could hear the Japs screaming for miles. Next morning a Jap body came ashore. I got his shoes, socks, bayonets, and two hand grenades. The Japs sent a patrol for me that night.

"They came through a clearing toward my camp. I threw a hand grenade, then beat it into the woods after finding no one left to bayonet.

"There was a machine gun nest 100 yards from me at night. The nests were put ashore to protect their barges. From August 10 to 15 I slipped a hand grenade into three of them trying to capture a gun. I never got a usable gun.

Midwesterners Risk Death.

"On August 16 I heard a TBF (Grumman torpedo bomber) coming. I got onto the flat and waved a Jap towel. He (the pilot) turned low to let me have it. He told me later he saw my red beard. It saved me from getting shot.

"The pilot was Lieut. James R. Turner of Tyler, Texas. He reported back to Munda. Maj. Vernon A. Peterson of Minneapolis, Minn., said he'd fly a plane to get me. He got two volunteers (Maj. Goodwin Luck of Minneapolis, and Sergt. John Happer of Kansas City, Mo.).

"They had to circle close to Vila plantation to land in front of me on the water. It would be impossible to explain how dangerous that was.

"The major (Peterson) saw I was weak and called to me that he'd send a rubber boat. I beat it to camp to get my gear. It was valuable to me and to naval intelligence.

"I wanted to go back again and get five skulls, but it was suggested that 'we get out of this place,' so we flew to Munda in time for lunch—and that was something."

Lieutenant Miller wears the Purple Heart and Navy Cross.

Bandits Pen Victim in His Own Refrigerator

CHICAGO.—With the temperatures at the season's low, David Segal had the misfortune of meeting two gunmen, who locked him in the icebox of his liquor store, and a customer who didn't know enough to let him out.

The bandits entered the Royale Liquor Store when Segal was alone. They took $444 and a check for $91.80 before forcing Segal in the refrigerator and piling beer cases in front of the door. Ten minutes later a customer entered, and Segal rapped furiously.

"I'm in no hurry," said the customer. "I'll wait."

A short time afterward a second customer entered—and caught on. He released the shivering Segal, who reported the matter to Sheffield avenue police.

Father Killed Trying To Save Dog in Blaze

CHICAGO.—Albert Fesl, 37, saved his wife and two children from their burning apartment last night, but was killed when he returned to save the children's dog.

Fesl dashed back when his 11-year-old daughter, Mary, said, "We forgot Trixie."

"Don't worry," he assured her, "I'll get Trixie."

His retreat was cut off by flames and he leaped from a third-story window.

Firemen later found the dog cowering under a bed, unharmed.

Wedding Cake Travels Halfway Around World

LONDON.—Leading Aircraftsman Fred Edginton, RAF, instead of packing his troubles in his old kit bag, packed a 16-pound, three-tiered wedding cake, complete with silver icing, and lugged it halfway round the world.

Edginton, training in Canada, was well aware of the rationing in England. So when his girl accepted his mailed marriage proposal, and he was due to return home, he decided to be fully prepared for the wedding festivities.

Convalescing is that part of illness that makes illness worthwhile.

U. S. Comics Take on New Names in S. America

So firmly have our comic strips entrenched themselves in the southern republics that they now appear as regular weekly supplements to most of the large newspapers published in Latin America. Except for occasional changes in the names of characters and Spanish, Portuguese or French texts instead of English, they are identical with comic strips distributed in this country.

In this way, the Brazilian planter sipping his morning coffee and the Argentine gaucho sipping his mate are as familiar with Mandrake el Mago, Henry, Tarzan, El Gato Felix and Pepe Palooka as any North American addict. This universal appeal of the funny papers is creating new ties of affection and understanding between the peoples of North and South America. Alley Oop becomes Trucutu, Donald Duck, El Pato Pasqual and Etta Kett, in San Salvador at least, mysteriously metamorphoses into Queta Pando. And in that Central American republic, the Katzenjammer Kids cut their capers under the title of Maldades de dos Pilluelos, while the incorrigible Jiggs, plain Pancho to his addicts, suffers his interminable bringing-up in a strip called Educando a Papa. The formidable Maggie, known as Ramona, does the honors.

Cuquita la Mecanografa resolves herself into the beauteous Tillie the Toiler, sharing honors in several comic supplements with Tapon Lopez. Tapon Lopez, on closer inspection, reveals himself to be none other than Snuffy Smith, peerless yardbird. Pedro Harapos is unmasked as Hobo Pete, Chiquito Abner as the inimitable hillbilly and Pepita y Lorenzo as Blondie and Dagwood, respectively.

New Plastic Window Aids U. S. Deep Sea Divers

Seventy of the government's deep sea divers, including 25 working on the gutted S. S. Lafayette (Normandie) in New York harbor, are wearing a new type helmet with a window of crystal-clear plastic.

A light, virtually unbreakable window of "Lucite" methyl methacrylate resin eliminates the heavy metal protective grille needed in old type helmets. It increases the diver's field of vision, reduces the weight of the headgear, and makes it easier for the diver to maneuver.

These helmets have been used at depths down to 320 feet in various parts of the world, and much greater depths are predicted by the manufacturer. A helmet made entirely of "Lucite" is being tested.

The streamlined helmet's curved window is made from the same plastic which is now used in record quantities for the noses, gun turrets, navigation "blisters" and other transparent enclosures on military airplanes.

Soybeans Nutritious

Green edible soybeans can be a valuable addition to the diet, especially in these days of meat shortages.

Soybeans are far richer in protein and fat than other legumes and are good sources of calcium, iron, vitamin A, thiamin and riboflavin. All of the eight varieties tested contained approximately the same amount of vitamin C, or ascorbic acid, as the green peas tested and slightly more than the freshly harvested snap beans.

Green soybeans are ready to be prepared for eating as soon as the pods are well filled and while they are still green in color. They have a better flavor if prepared promptly after picking, since their sugar content decreases rapidly if held at room temperature for any length of time. In order to make hulling easier, pour boiling water over the tough, fibrous pods and let them stand for five minutes. Then drain and hull the soybeans by breaking the pods crosswise and squeezing out the beans.

Pork Curing

The secret of curing pork is to use good sound meat, the correct curing ingredients, and clean containers. Of course, it is necessary that there be cool weather for curing.

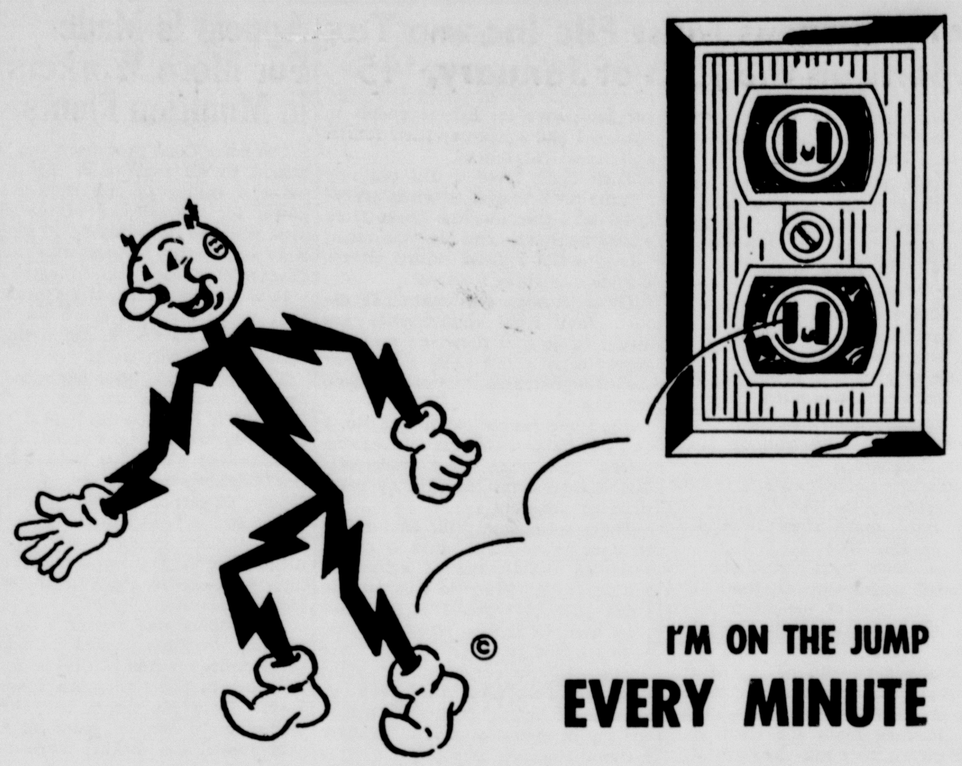
Salt is the agent primarily responsible for curing. Excessive amounts of salt injure the flavor of the meat and cause a too great hardening of muscles. Too small an amount allows bacterial action to set in, causing subsequent spoilage of the meat.

Sugar is used in the curing process to counteract the hardening effect of the salt and to improve the flavor and texture of the meat. White or brown sugar, or even molasses, may be used.

Reprocessing Pears

If the boiling-water-bath method of canning was originally used, housewives do not need to reprocess pears that were put up without acid, or bring the total contents of each jar to a boil and boil for 15 minutes before tasting or using. If the open kettle method was used, however, the pears should be processed in a boiling-water-bath or the entire contents emptied into a pan and boiled for 15 minutes before being tasted or used regardless of whether or not lemon juice was added to the fruit. To reprocess, proceed as for canning fresh raw pears in the boiling-water-bath, recanning only fruit that is in good condition.

The best thing to take when you are run down is the license number.



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Highland News

Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Mason and Lee and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Norman and Terry spent Christmas Day at the L. J. Fulton home.

Mrs. A. E. Atkins had Christmas dinner with Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Brown.

The Batenhorst family spent Christmas day with relatives at Umbarger.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Sharp had guests for Christmas dinner from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sharp had Christmas dinner at the C. R. Warren home in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Reeder, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kimball and Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Fulton were guests at the Carl Fuqua home Thursday evening.

Joan Fulton spent several days in Amarillo last week visiting her sister, Mrs. Earl Norman.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fuqua were supper guests at the Tom Watson home last Tuesday evening.

Mrs. Carl Fuqua called on Mrs. Geo. Mason Saturday. Mrs. Mason is slowly recovering from her recent illness.

Mrs. L. E. Mason and Mrs. Ed Sharp went to Canyon Saturday.

The Highland H. D. Club will meet at the home of Mrs. Ed Sharp Tuesday afternoon, Jan. 9th.

The thing that is being raised most nowadays is taxes.

In a western town a recent rain had left the streets muddy and a stout colored woman was carefully picking her way across one when a friend called out:

"Mornin', Miss Dinah. Nice day overhead."

"Yes," she replied, "but Lawdy, we ain't walkin' that way."

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News In Canyon 25 Years Ago

(Taken from the files of the Randall County News of January 1, 1920)

Only 132 poll taxes have been paid to date.

The 1920 census will start Friday, but so far no one has been secured to take this census.

S. B. Orton has bought the Pipkin Grocery from J. C. Pipkin and son, R. S. Pipkin. Mr. Orton started the West End Grocery in 1910; added the East End Grocery before the war, and now owns his third grocery store in Canyon.

Miss Harietta Hachen and Henry L. Prichard were married.

J. L. Duflot has started construction on a new home on East Evelyn Street.

Construction was started on the girls' dormitory on the campus.

The mother of I. W. Scott died at the family home.

Bassett Will Speak on Baptist Hour

Dr. Wallace Bassett of Dallas, former pastor in Amarillo, will inaugurate a 12-program broadcast over a statewide hook-up for The 1945 Baptist Hour, Sunday, January 7th, at 7:30 a. m. The subject for the whole series will be "The Call of a New Era." Dr. Bassett will speak on "Prayer for a Stricken World."

Music will be by the Baptist Hour Choir under direction of John D. Hoffman, and the program will originate from the studio of WSB in Atlanta.

The whole series is under supervision of Dr. S. F. Lowe of Atlanta, Director of Radio for the Southern Baptist Convention. Other speakers include Dr. Pat M. Neff, president of Baylor University, Waco; Hon. Walter F. George, U. S. Senator from Georgia; Mr. James L. Kraft, prominent business man and active churchman of Chicago; Dr. M. E. Dodd of Shreveport; Dr. Louie D. Newton of Atlanta, Associate Secretary of the Baptist World Alliance; Dr. M. T. Rankin of Richmond, Virginia, Executive Secretary of the Baptist Foreign Mission Board and former missionary to China where he was a prisoner of the Japanese for months; Dr. Duke K. McCall of New Orleans, president of the Baptist Bible Institute; and Dr. W. A. Criswell, new pastor of First Baptist Church in Dallas, and former citizen of Amarillo where he graduated from high school not too many years ago.

These programs can be heard in Texas over WFAA of Dallas, KPRC of Houston, and KGNC of Amarillo, according to announcement by Dr. Lowe.

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Ever See an Electoral College Vote?

Mrs. Norman F. Mack of Buffalo casts one of the 47 New York electoral votes for President Roosevelt while other electors stand ready to do the same. The scene is the Senate chamber in Albany, and somewhat the same official ceremony goes on in each state in every presidential election.

Wayside Items

Rev. J. M. Menefee preaches every Fifth Sunday at Wayside.

George Gillham and family of Groom have been spending the holidays with relatives and friends.

Glen Franklin is spending the holidays in Denver, Colo. in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Fryburger.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Fisher of Amarillo spent the week end in the parental Grady Kennedy home.

Mr. and Mrs. John Stockett, Peggy and Billy visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

(Too late for last week)

Sunday School Sunday morning, but there was no church services. A Christmas program and tree Sunday night with treats for all made the evening service.

Miss Melba Kennedy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kennedy and Oren Fisher son of Mr. and Mrs. Lem Fisher were united in marriage last Friday evening at 7 o'clock in the home of the bride's parents in Wayside. Rev. Loyd Garrison performed the single ring ceremony. Peggy Spann, a cousin of the bride, was maid of honor and Robert Fisher, a brother of the bridegroom was best man. Only nearest relatives and a few friends were present.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morgan of Lubbock have a new son. Mrs. Morgan was Nettie Fay Bird.

Mrs. I. C. Jenkins and son Merle of Canyon were dinner guests in the John McGehee home Sunday, Dec. 24.

Mrs. Allie McNeil, Mona and Sonny of Amarillo attended the Christmas program Sunday night at the Church.

Pvt. Boyce Colwell of Portland, Oregon is home on furlough. His wife and 4 daughters now live in Canyon. They formerly lived at Wayside.

A-C Bruce Payne is home on furlough. Chanute Field, Ill., is where he will be stationed to finish his cadet training.

S-Sgt Glen Mahler and family from Waco are spending Christmas in the parental E. J. Mahler home.

Mrs. J. C. Fulton and little son Jimmie, have been visiting in the parental W. H. Hamblen home.

Mrs. Doris Gillham and girls are visiting in the parental W. H. Hamblen home for the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. George Hancock and girls of Waco are spending Christmas in the parental W. I. Lane home.

Mrs. Coy W. Dean of Baltimore, Md., is on furlough with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lowe McGehee. Mrs. Dean is a Wave and has been in the Navy 2 years. Her husband is somewhere over seas.

Miss Wanda Harrel formerly of Wayside and Olen Wharton of Lubbock recently married and are living in Lubbock.

J. E. Culwell has not been feeling very well lately.

Sgt. and Mrs Clifford Stevens are visiting in the parental A. L. Stevens home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockett and boys of near Tulia attended the program and Christmas tree at Wayside Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Payne of the Cactus Plant near Dumas attended the program and Christmas tree Sunday night and were guests in the W. R. Franklin home.

Miss Neva Moore and Pfc. Howard Priest were married Dec. 5 at Nogales, Ariz.

Chas. Kennedy has been sent to the Naval Training Base at Great Lakes, Chicago, Ill. for his boot training.

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Fairview Breezes

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wise entertained the Fairview people and their families with a turkey dinner Sunday.

Melvin Schaeffer leaves to serve in the Armed Forces Monday.

Melton Brazil left Tuesday for Dallas where he will join the navy.

Friends and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Wesley near Canyon had a lovely dinner Christmas day in their home. There were 64 present for the feast.

H. H. Sutton and family spent Monday night in the Chas. Sutton home.

Dorothy Wesley and Jeanette Sutton spent Monday night visiting in the J. W. Wesley home.

Arlen Ray Wesley returned to school in Lubbock Monday night.

Fayrene Schaeffer and Laverne Amerson returned to Plainview Monday to attend business college.

Vesta Amerson spent the holidays in Tuscon, Arizona visiting her brother, J. C.

Mrs. J. Fulcher and children, Mary and Bob, visited this week in Pampa with her mother.

The Centerview Club will meet Friday afternoon at 3 o'clock with Mrs. H. H. Shipman. Miss Patterson will be present. Everyone is welcome.

We were glad to welcome Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Barnard and children, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Sutton and family and Dorothy Wesley to our annual Christmas party

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SAUSAGE Pure Pork pound 33¢

FRANKS, Skinless, lb. 27c

LUNCH MEAT 3 Kinds Asst. pound 29¢

Square American Pimento **CHEESE** . . . . . lb. 41c

KRAUT Fancy Bulk pound 12½¢

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1 lb. R&W—Drip or Perc **Coffee 29c**

MEAL, 5 lb. Sack . . . 25¢

GREEN BEANS, No. 2 Cans 12c

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Reg. 10c pkg. **PUDDING, Pal's Choc., 2 for 15c**

25 lb. Red & White Sack **Flour $1.09**

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TURNIPS Purple Top, Bulk pound 5¢

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LETTUCE Nice Heads 10¢

PRESERVES Del Monte Plum 1 lb. 29¢

12 oz. Tumbler **JELLY, Assorted** 23c

CRANBERRY, Orange Marmalade, 1 lb. Ocean Spray Jar 23c

PRESERVES 2 lb. Rhubarb Ma Brown's—Jar 21¢

PEANUT BUTTER, Justin, Pint 25c

SALAD DRESSING Pint Sun Spun Jar 25¢

Honey Flavored 1 lb. Box **GRAHAM CRACKERS . . . 17c**

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WASHO, Large Box 21c

RICE, 3 lb. Water Maid . . . 31c

BEANS WITH BACON, No. 2 Can, 2 for 31c

POP CORN, Large Celo Bag, Giant Yellow 25c

Johnson Items

Betty Jo and Lon Merle Goettsch returned to their home in Amarillo Wednesday after spending a few days with their grandmother, Mrs. Paul Goettsch and Julius.

Alvina Ebeling spent a few days in Amarillo with Betty Jo Goettsch.

Mrs. Gus Leseberg and Gladys and Mrs. Phillip Rickwartz and children spent Thursday in the C. W. Bauer home.

Those enjoying dinner in the Emil Schaeffer home Friday which they gave in honor of boys leaving for the armed forces were, Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brazil and children, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bauer and children.

Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Bauer and Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Brazil and children were dinner guests in the E. A. Wise home Sunday.

Beau Hollis spent Saturday night with Elmer Bauer, Jr.

Supper guests in the E. J. Bauer home Sunday night were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stockett and sons, Mr. Jack Glenn and children, Laura Ruth Glenn, Pauline Baker, Juanita Anderson, Beau Hollis, Alfred Earl McCone.

There were 80 guests at the party given in the E. J. Bauer home Sunday night, given in honor of Elmer Bauer, Jr., Milton Brazil, Curtis Lehnick and Melvin Schaeffer, who are leaving for the armed forces.

Elmer Bauer, Jr., left Monday for Oklahoma City to be inducted in the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bauer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rickwartz and children and Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bauer and daughters were dinner guests in the Gus Leseberg home New Years Day.

Thelma Bauer and Louise Tucek spent Saturday night in Amarillo with Mrs. Richard Coale.

Cpl. and Mrs. Charles Donnell are home from San Diego on a short furlough. Cpl. Donnell is with the Marines and has been managing a theatre for the training base. His orders now mean something else he thinks. Mrs. Donnell does not expect to return to the coast with her husband.

Flake Thurman, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Thurman was accepted in the Navy, yesterday according to a telegram received by his parents late in the afternoon.

T. A. Black left Tuesday night for Temple where he will go through the clinic. He will then go to Pauls Valley, Okla., to visit for a few days with relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Presley returned from San Bernardino, Calif., Sunday night after having spent the holidays with their daughter, Mrs. Don Trolinger and family.

Palo Duro News

Guests in the E. A. Michael home for supper on New Years Eve were Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Burrus and family and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Root and family.

Guests in the Henry Miller home Sunday included Mrs. Pauline Wendelken and Wilbert, Mrs. Adolph Kampen and Sgt. Alvin Huneke.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Albers visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crow Sunday evening.

Those who attended the watch party in the Hartenberger home New Years Eve were Misses Clara and Betty Ann Miller, Wilma Schuette and Phyllis Albers; Marvin, Alan, Bruce and Bob Albers and Wilbert Wendelken.

Miss Helen Schuette of Amarillo spent the New Year week end in the parental Fred Schuette home.

Dinner guests in the G. H. Leseberg home New Years day were Mrs. Lena Tucek and Louise, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Tucek, Pfc. and Mrs. Dick Coale, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Tucek and family Mrs. Alvina Leseberg and Miss Wilma Schuette, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bauer and family, Mrs. Clarence Beckman and Elizabeth Ann, Miss Alvin Friemel and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McBroom and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bauer, Mr. and Mrs. Philip Rickwartz and Mrs. Pauline Wendelken and Wilbert.

Mrs. John Albers, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Albers and Bob and Emil Albers were New Year's dinner guests in the Albers home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Oliver returned Saturday from Wichita Falls where they were called by the death of Mr. Oliver's mother early last week.

Buffs Won Two Games in Tourney at Oklahoma City

West Texas State Buffaloes won the Consolation finals in Oklahoma City tournament Friday.

After being defeated by Rice Owls in their first game of the tournament, the Buffs came back to whip the Baylor Bears Thursday afternoon by a score of 56 to 41.

This victory put the Buffs in the final round for Consolation against Denver University. The Buffs won this game Friday afternoon by the score of 44 to 35.

LaFollette, one of the best guards in the conference, left the team Monday to report to the army. This will materially weaken the Buffs until Coach Gus Miller can whip one of his young players into shape.

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